

COLD WAVE TO REMAIN UNBROKEN SEVERAL DAYS

OVER \$400 IN FUND; ALL AND MORE NEEDED

Time is Short to Aid in
Making Kiddies of
City Happy

Club to Give Dance Tuesday Eve to Aid Goodfellow Movement

The F. F. G. Club, a local organization, will hold a dance on Tuesday evening at the K. C. Hall, the proceeds of which will be turned over to the Evening Telegraph Goodfellow Club, to be spent for a happy Christmas for the poor youngsters of Dixon. Darby's orchestra will play. The hall and incidental expenses have been donated to the cause and with good patronage, a neat sum should be realized for the Goodfellow fund. It is hoped there will be a good attendance.

With a total of over \$400 up to 9 o'clock this morning, the Goodfellow fund is reaching proportions that are exceedingly gratifying to the committee and will mean untold happiness to the scores of little kids in Dixon who would have had a cheerless Christmas without the Goodfellow's aid.

All of this money and much more is badly needed. When the committee finds a family of five or six kids, often more than that, who need shoes and underwear and other clothing, it comes big holes in the fund, and the Goodfellow's of Dixon want their little friends, the poor kids, to have a real Christmas this year. They must have some little toys, but it is equally necessary that they have dry feet and warm backs and full "tummies," if they are to really enjoy their Christmas.

We have had many offers of help from people in and outside of Dixon, as well as cash donations. Among those good folks who have contributed in this way are J. P. McIntyre who has donated two lots of a half ton of coal each, to be used by the Goodfellow committee where they think it is most badly needed. Among those who have taken families to give them their Christmas are the following:

Mrs. Henry Hey,
Harry Hogan,
Misses Ann and Sadie Theiss,
Mrs. Earl Buck,
Mrs. L. G. Rorer,
Violet and Walter Watkins, Jr.,
Miss Georgia L. Sill has given a most beautiful doll which will bring happiness beyond words to some forlorn little girl.

Please keep up this good work, Mr. and Mrs. Goodfellow, and Miss Goodfellow as well. The hundreds of dollars we spend for a happy Christmas for the kids in Dixon will buy a million dollars worth of happiness for them.

A Friend	\$ 1.00
Evening Telegraph	20.00
Mrs. O. H. Martin	1.00
James Bates	1.00
Mrs. S. S. Dodge	2.00
Myrtle Workers	5.00
Miss Dorothy Penny	1.00
James Boyer	2.00
A Friend	1.00
A Goodfellow	2.00
W. M. Rourke	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Raymond	3.00
L. Squier	2.00
Luella Goodfellow	1.00
A Goodfellow	5.00
Dr. A. C. Warner	5.00
Miss J. Cahill	5.00
Charles E. Miller	2.00
May Kline	2.00
Mrs. Addie E. Hilles	1.00
Ed Smith	1.00
A Friend	1.00
Miss Bess Ellis	5.00
Mrs. R. G. Rens	2.00
A Friend	1.00
A Friend	1.00
Mrs. Chas. Russell	1.00
A Friend	2.00
Sam Branch	5.00
Dixon Gyo Club	25.00
A. C. Warner	5.00
L. G. Adams	2.00
A Friend	1.00
W. J. Worley	5.00
A Friend	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vauters	5.00
Mrs. C. E. Butterfield	5.00
A Friend	2.00
A. H. Fraze	1.00
A Friend	1.00
Yellow Cab Co.	1.00
A Friend	2.00
Mrs. Belle Weberzahn	1.00
J. C. Penny Co.	25.00
Carpenters Union No. 730	5.00
Mrs. Scott	1.00
G. W. Schmucker	1.00
Mrs. G. W. Schmucker	1.00
Mike Kazarian	3.00
Little E. G. Walters, age 6	1.00
M. A. Becker	10.00
Guy L. Weistad	1.00

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HE'S OLDEST SOLDIER



On Dec. 12 Sergt. John L. Van Duzen of the 147th Infantry, Cincinnati, served his last day of 50 years' continuous service for Uncle Sam. This makes him Uncle Sam's champion soldier in point of service and he was retired with honors. Van Duzen is 69 years old.

DUAL MURDER TRIAL TO BE RESUMED MON.

Illness of Attorney
Causes Recesses of
the Hearing.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Mount Vernon, Ill., Dec. 20.—A recess today interrupted defense action to show Lawrence M. Hight, who with Mrs. Elsie Sweetin is charged with the murder by poison of Wilford Sweetin, was a man whom nature and circumstance had combined to derange mentally. Testimony that Hight was of unsound mind will be continued Monday. Attorney Nelson Layman, defense counsel announced yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Eaton, 22, Hight's elder daughter testified that when she was about ten years old she had seen her father bite a male in the nose. "Bit him with his own teeth?" she "Yes," was the reply.

Mrs. Eaton said her father would break into "wild peals of laughter." Cross examination disclosed that this laughter was usually during revival meetings when others were also laughing and shouting.

Midred Hight, his youngest daughter, said Hight acted "queer" after an attack of influenza. She told of his taking up the ministry, asserting he had been a "bright light."

Previous witnesses related that Hight had been severely beaten by his father when a boy.

Dr. H. W. Walker testified Hight's father was in a bad mental condition seven years before his death and steadily grew worse. One brother died in an insane asylum, he added, and another was considered mentally weak.

Mrs. Sweetin, co-defendant, sat listlessly in her chair while this testimony was presented. Court adjourned until Monday to allow Attorney Layman, who was ill, time to rest.

BACK IN OFFICE

Dr. Willard Thompson is back in his office after a two week's illness.

THE WEATHER

EAR MUFFS NEVER PREVENTED
ANYBODY FROM HEARING AN
INVITATION TO LUNCH.

SATURDAY, DEC. 20, 1924
By Associated Press Leased Wire
CHICAGO AND VICINITY: Fair and continued cold tonight and Sunday with light snow or sleet.

FORECAST FOR NEXT WEEK
Washington, Dec. 20.—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday: UPPER MISSISSIPPI AND LOWER MISSISSIPPI VALLEYS: Cold, practically all week; mostly fair although probability of snow about Tuesday or Wednesday.

REGION OF THE GREAT LAKES: Cold practically entire week, mostly fair although snow probable about middle week.

SENATE VOTED FUND TO FIGHT FOWL EPIDEMIC

Emergency Measure is
Put Through at
Pres. Wishes.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Dec. 20.—An emergency Senate resolution to appropriate \$100,000 for a fight against the poultry plague epidemic was rushed through the House today and sent to President Coolidge for his signature.

Action on the appropriation before the Christmas recess which begins tonight had been urged by the poultrymen, representatives of farm organizations and others who declared the epidemic had seriously affected the poultry industry and disturbed consumers.

A variety of state quarantines now are effective, and it is the intention of the agriculture department to use the funds carried in the resolution to promulgate federal regulations designed to stamp out the plague much after the manner of the campaign against the foot and mouth disease.

Chairman Madden of the Appropriations Committee, called up the resolution, approved yesterday by the Senate. Representative Blanton, democrat, of Texas, at first blocked its consideration, but later withdrew his objection.

Amboy Owls Defeated Rochelle Friday Eve

The Amboy Owls continued their winning streak last evening playing their first out of town game at Rochelle where they scored a 32 to 17 victory in a bitterly contested, Rozier tallied almost half of the points made by the Owls. R. Schaffer being the outstanding star of the Rochelle team.

Vaughan was unable to appear with the Owls on this trip but Bert Whitcombe did effective work in his regular position at left guard. Harvey, Mattivi and Leake held down the right forward positions, Paley working at left forward; Rozier at center, Welty at right guard and Whitcombe and Treadwell at left guard.

Lochelle's line-up was as follows: Ferguson, right forward; R. Schaffer, left forward; Woolcott, center; C. Schaffer, right guard and Clutta, left guard.

M'ners' Safety Subject of Conference Planned

Washington, Dec. 20.—(By the Associated Press).—Means of reducing loss of life in the coal mining industry will be considered at a national conference to be called early in the new year by President Coolidge.

Steps already have been taken by the Department of Interior and its Bureau of Mines to arrange a program for the conference and invitations will be sent out soon after government officials in the coal states have taken office.

All states in which is mined will be asked to send representatives, including Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Tennessee.

The frequency of coal mine explosions with great loss of life, together with the ordinary hazards of the industry, have brought officials to the conclusion that the federal government might properly seek the co-operation of the states in promoting greater safety to workers.

Must Get Auto Permit in Twenty-four Hours

Under the requirements of the automobile law the owner of a car is required to make application for a license within 24 hours after purchase, in the case of first registration, and if the purchase occurs at any time after June 30 the owner must pay the full amount of the semi-annual fees, even if the time be for a month, a week or less. A license cannot be transferred from one person to another, and no fee for an incorrect amount will be accepted by the secretary of state. Inspector Fellows of this city is experiencing considerable trouble in his territory through persons making application for 1925 licenses when they should first purchase a 1924 license, if they have bought a new car this fall and providing it is their first registration of an automobile.

Continuance in Teapot Dome Suit Petitioned

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Cheyenne, Wyo., Dec. 20.—Atty. General, special counsel for the government in its suit in equity for annulment of the lease of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve, held by the Mammoth Oil Company, this morning filed in the United States Court here, a motion for continuance of the hearing on the suit scheduled for January 6.

The motion is made on the ground that the government requires additional time to obtain certain evidence bearing on the alleged passage of liberty bonds between Harry P. Sinclair and A. B. Fall, who as Secretary of the Interior, granted the Teapot Dome lease to Sinclair.

NEW HEAD OF LABOR FEDERATION



Green started his career as a miner.

He was a member of Ohio Senate two terms.

He has been international secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America since 1915.

International secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America who was yesterday elected to fill the unexpired term of the late Samuel Gompers as president of the American Federation of Labor.

Under the cancelled will, which had been executed Sept. 21, 1921, the labor leader, after providing for a number of specific bequests, left the bulk of the estate to his widow, Gertrude A. Gompers, to whom he was married April 15, 1921.

The last will declared the payment allowed under the law should be made providing Mrs. Gompers "is my lawful wedded wife at the time of my demise." Should she not be, it directed, "she shall not receive any part of my estate whether real, personal or mixed." Mrs. Gompers was Mrs. Gertrude Neuschler of New York and the time of her marriage her age was given as 38. She was his second wife.

Under the laws of the District of Columbia, dower rights of a widow may not be taken away by a will. Requests of \$100 each were made by Mr. Gompers to six organizations for the purchase of an American flag for each. The organizations are the American Federation of Labor, the Cigar Makers International Union, Cigar Makers Local Number 144, New York; Dawson Lodge of Masons, Washington; The Washington Lodge of the Elks and the New York Lodge of the Elks.

The remainder of the estate, the value of which was not given, was bequeathed to his grand daughters, Henrietta and Ethel Mitchell and his sons, Samuel J. Henry J. and A. J. Gompers, in equal shares. Samuel J. Gompers was named as executor.

Theodore Cogswell, deputy registrar of wills found the documents in Mr. Gompers' office.

CO. SURVEYOR FRED LEAKE IS MEMBER A. S. E.

Recognition of His Ability Given By Big Society.

County Surveyor Fred W. Leake, of Amboy, well known for his ability as a contractor and engineer in Lee County, has just been accorded the singular honor and distinction of being elected a charter member of the American Society of Engineers.

Charter membership in this organization, which is the most prominent of national engineering societies, is given only by unanimous vote of the board of directors, and Mr. Leake's election to the society is evidence of his high attainment in the field of civil engineering.

Since his attainment of membership in the society, one must have had a college training in an accredited technical school and two years practical experience, or he must have had seven years practical experience with three years of responsible charge if not a graduate of an institution. Mr. Leake has had ten years practical engineering experience.

He has served as assistant engineer on the Rock cut for the Inlet swamp district, and has been city engineer of Amboy since 1913. He has acted as city engineer for Ashton and for Franklin Grove, and has served as engineer in charge of construction for the Egan Construction Co. of Aurora. Last year he was resident engineer for the building of the concrete pavement between Sterling and Tampico. Mr. Leake has also been occupied as resident engineer for the Union Drainage District in the towns of Tampico, Hume and Prophetstown.

5,124 Autos Seized by Prohibition Agents

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Dec. 20.—Automobiles numbering 5,214 and valued at \$3,226,339 were seized by prohibition authorities in the last fiscal year, the House has been informed in a table inserted in the report on the Treasury Postoffice appropriation bill, by Assistant Probation Commissioner Jones. Boats and launches seized during the year numbered 236 and were valued at \$279,158.

The total appraised value of property seized and destroyed under the prohibition laws was \$3,957,929 and that seized by not destroyed \$7,746,952.

Boy, Afraid to Tell of Accident, is Near Death

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Stanley Swicki, 12, was near death today as a result of having suffered in silence for three hours yesterday rather than tell his mother he had been shot accidentally through the lung by his friend, Frank Stornal, 14.

Coolidges Invite Few Friends for a Cruise

COMPERS CUT WIDOW OFF IN HIS LAST WILL

Decreed That She is to
Get "Minimum"
Under Law.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Dec. 20.—The will of Samuel Compers, filed today for probate, left the bulk of his estate to his sons and grand daughters and decreed that only "the minimum amount allowed by law" should be paid the widow.

Dated Nov. 8, 1924, the will was accompanied by a mutilated copy of another made previously which had been torn across the face and on which was written:

"I cancel and revoke this will." Under the cancelled will, which had been executed Sept. 21, 1921, the labor leader, after providing for a number of specific bequests, left the bulk of the estate to his widow, Gertrude A. Compers, to whom he was married April 15, 1921.

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MT. MORRIS COLLEGE Defeats Rockford Five

The Mt. Morris college basketball team met with strong opposition last evening in probably the best game that will be seen at the college gymnasium this winter, when they defeated the Rockford Hurons, a strong heavyweight organization, by a score of 34 to 29. In the first half, the period ended with the score standing 16 to 12 in favor of Mt. Morris, but at the close of the second half the count was tied with 29 points each.

An extra ten minute period was played to decide the winner of the contest and in the first five minutes neither side scored. Mt. Morris rallied in the last five minutes of play and run up five points, holding the Hurons scoreless. Edwards and Schm it were the point makers for the Hurons and Grove and Henrickson starred for the college five.

Fine New Bus Bought by Ill. Service Co.

Officials of the Northern Illinois Service company have purchased a new bus, delivery to be made some time within the next month.

The new bus is a large Reo Six with a seating capacity of 24 persons, and it also has a smoking compartment.

The machine is now in the paint shop, being painted to match the new buses, being painted to match the new buses now in use between here and DeKalb. It is said that company officials are pleased over the new vehicle believing it will be used to great advantage in the business.

Retail Food Prices in Nov. Small Increase in Nov.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, Dec. 20.—Retail food prices showed a further increase of approximately one per cent in the month ending Nov. 15, according to figures announced today by the Department of Labor covering 21 food articles in 51 cities.

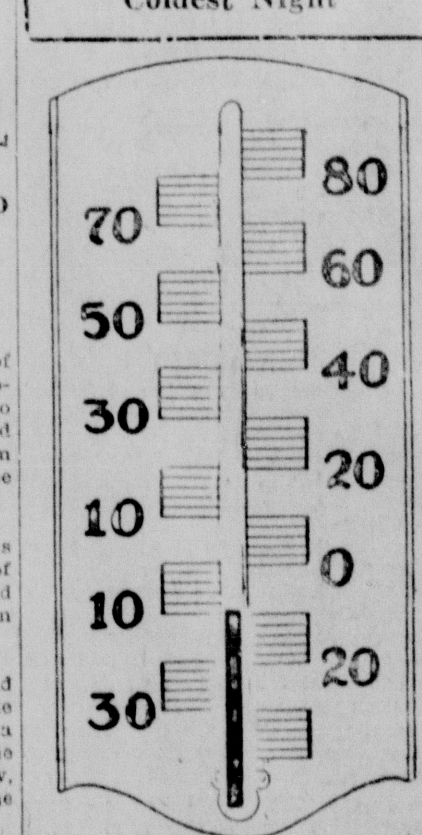
Of 47 cities showing an increase in the average retail level, a maximum of three per cent was reported for Rochester, N. Y.

The only material decrease, two per cent, was recorded at Los Angeles.

Widow of a Pioneer Banker, Chicago, Dead

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Agnes C. Allerton, aged widow of S. W. Allerton, pioneer banker and one of the originators of the Union Stock Yards, who left a fortune of several millions, including an 11,000 acre farm near Monticello, Illinois, died here yesterday. She had been in ill health two years. A son, Robert Allerton, capitalist and patron of the arts and a daughter, Mrs. Kate Allerton Johnson, survive.

Coldest Night



The cold wave from the northwest, which began its journey over this section of the country Thursday night, reached its greatest intensity during Friday night, the mercury in the government thermometer here being driven to nine degrees below zero—the lowest mark thus far this winter.

WISH "TO GET FORBES" MOVED E. H. MORTIMER

His Parents - in - Law
Give Testimony
Against Him.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—(By the Associated Press).—The week-end recess in the Forbes-Thompson Veterans' Bureau conspiracy trial began today after the defense had put into the record two full day's rebuttal testimony.

Dr. George B. Tullidge of Philadelphia testified yesterday that E. H. Mortimer, his son-in-law and the government's principal witness, revealed to the Tullidge family that he took the stand before the Senate Veterans' Bureau investigating committee in October, 1923, in furtherance of a determination to empass Forbes' destruction.

Mrs. Tullidge corroborated this testimony.

In response to a question as to the reason for his bitter feeling toward Forbes, Mortimer said to Tullidge:

"Because he could have made me a rich man by giving me hospital contracts but he would not do it."

"Did Mortimer say in your presence that if you did not make Catherine (Mrs. Mortimer) line up with him against Forbes he would drag her down to the mire?" Dr. Tullidge was asked.

"Yes," he replied.

Mortimer also had said, before he testified before the Senate Committee, that he would be willing to swear himself into jail for ten years if he could take Forbes along, Mr. Tullidge said.

The defense will resume Monday.

St. Paul's Choir to Present "Adoration"

One of the most beautiful of Christmas cantatas is the one entitled "Adoration" by George B. Nevill. This cantata is to be given at St. Paul's Lutheran church Sunday evening by the choir of the Christian church and St. Paul's Lutheran church. The chorus comprises forty voices, and the solos throughout the production are all inspiring. The cantata will be given under the direction of Mrs. E. M. Goodsell.

TRADE EDITOR DEAD

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Harley B. Mitchell, for 45 years editor of the American Miller, a trade publication, died yesterday at his home at LaGrange, a suburb.

41 SHOPPING DAYS BEFORE CHRISTMAS



NOT CERTAIN HOW LONG IT WILL HANG ON

Central West Suffers
Under Most Bitter
Cold of Winter

Air Mail on Time Despite Storm and Cold of this Week

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Aurora, Ill., Dec. 20.—It was eight below zero this morning but there were folks outdoor at North Aurora and Batavia, Illinois to watch the air mail man wing his way over the communities on the way from Omaha to Chicago. The flier was on time to the dot just as east and west bound pilots were in the day and the night before despite they had cold sleet storms and gales to battle.

Weather reports indicated a continuance of the cold for thirty six hours from Michigan and Indiana to the northern Rockies region but with promise that the temperatures in the latter section will start to rise on Sunday.

Virtually no improvement in communications was reported today in central states and the radio was depended on to transmit news dispatches to a number of cities including St. Louis, Springfield, and Decatur and Alton. St. Louis had a weak connection by commercial wire with New York, but the Illinois cities continued to be cut off from wire communications with the rest of the world.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—(By the Associated Press).—The icy grip of winter was relaxing in the far west and Rocky Mountain region today while its clutch was tightest in the middle west and it reached out to envelop the east, although nearly normal temperature may be reached in most of the cold wave area within 24 hours, days will elapse before wire and rail communication, virtually paralyzed in some sections, resume usual operations.

Meanwhile the toll of lives continued to mount as deaths from freezing were added to by fatalities in fires resulting from overheating. Fire departments in midwestern cities answered hundreds of calls. Considerable suffering was felt among the poor, but relief organizations were not reported overtaxed by demands.

Warm Winds in West

Warm winds were forecast to bring relief to the Pacific Coast today where a streak of sub-zero temperatures in the north and heavy frost in California.

Eight deaths were reported in Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma where thousands of dollars of property damage was done. One man was frozen to death and another died from injuries received in a fall of the ice in Chicago, where a 13-year-old girl may die as a result of burns in a gas explosion.

During the night the Chicago fire department answered more than a hundred calls.

Trains in the mid-west were running from several hours to more than 24 hours late and two passenger trains which left St. Louis Thursday, were lost somewhere in southern Missouri early today. Train crews frequently were forced to remove trees and poles felled across tracks by their burdens of ice.

A. P. Radiocasts News.

Member newspapers of the Associated Press, cut off from the outside world by paralyzed wire communication, were kept in touch with the outside world by radio. Dispatches

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Livestock

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Cattle: 1900, compared with week ago steers higher; largely 50c to \$1.50 up; better grades heavier; 1.00@1.50 higher; extreme top yearlings 14.50; best handy 12.50; she stock uneven; fat between 25@50c lower; bulls slow; vealers 50c higher; week's bulk: beef steers 7.50@10.25; fat cows 2.50@3.00; heifers 6.50; veal calves 2.50@3.00; stockers and feeders 5.00@6.50.

Sheep: 1000; for week around 6400 direct, compared with week ago fed lambs 75c higher; fat sheep 25c lower; feeding lambs 25@50c higher; bulk for week: fat woolled natives and fed westerns 15.75@16.50 top fed westerns 17.00; highest of season since 1919. Top clipped lambs 14.00; fat ewes top 8.50; feeding lambs top 15.75.

Hogs: 13,000; generally steady; strong; top 10.30; bulk 225 pound averages and up, 9.35@10.20; bulk 170 to 180 lbs. 9.00@9.50; bulk strong weight pigs 7.50@8.00; packing cows 9.50 and up; heavy hogs 10.00@10.30; medium 9.10@9.20; lights 8.15@9.65; light lights 7.00@8.90; packing hogs smooth 9.30@9.75; rough 9.10@9.30; slaughter pigs 7.00@8.00.

Chicago Produce

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Poultry: all live higher; fowls 15@21; springs 22; roosters 15; turkeys 24; geese 19@20; ducks 23.
Potatoes: no early trade, cold, receipts 19 cars.
Butter: higher; creamery 82@84.
Eggs: higher, receipts 2341 cases.

Early Grain Estimates

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Preliminary estimate car lot receipts: Wheat 3; corn 144; oats 54.

Butter Market

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Butter: trading unsettled; the butter market during the week and brought disappointment to operators expecting more activity and a firmer tone with the approach of the holidays. Lack of confidence in part was attributed to the heavy storage holdings as compared with last and previous years.

While storage withdrawals continued to decrease production reports indicated an increasing make.
Closing wholesale prices 92 score butter and price range for the week: Chicago unchanged at 41; New York, 44; higher at 45; Boston, 1c higher at 44; Philadelphia, 5c higher at 45.

Weekly Grain Review

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Sensational climbing by prices of bread grain this week have accompanied persistent indications of world security of supplies. Compared with a week ago, wheat this morning was 3 1/4 to 8 1/2 higher; lower and oats 1/2 to 1/4 down. Provisions showed 2 1/2 to 1 1/2 advance.

Despite huge sales to realize profits the Chicago wheat market almost daily established new high price records for the season. Meanwhile signs multiplied that much of the demand here for future deliveries of wheat came from European sources. An announcement of a material decrease of the domestic supply of both wheat and rye was promptly followed by a rise to above \$2 a bushel for choice grades of wheat at the principal milling center, Minneapolis and before the week ended some wheat there was being sold as high as \$2.15.

Another stimulating factor was disclosed that the condition of newly sown wheat and rye in the United States is below what had generally been looked for.
Immense marketing of hogs which implied lessened feeding demand had a depressing effect on values of corn and oats.

Prospects of future shortage of hogs was largely responsible for new high price records in the provisions market.

Wall Street Review

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, Dec. 20.—Heavy profit taking and bera selling of a few special issues imparted some irregularity to price movements in today's stock market but the main trend was still upward. Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron was heavily accumulated on reports, later denied, officially, that the first National Bank had acquired the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad's "rights" to that stock, rising 3 1/2 points. The close was firm.

Prices resumed their upward movement at the opening of today's market under the leadership of the railroad equipment shares. Pullman advanced 2 1/2 points and Baldwin and Lima Locomotive one each. Initial gains of a point or more also were recorded by Mack Truck, American Foreign Power

Too Late to Classify

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARMS—5 percent, 4 1/2 percent and 3 1/2 percent depending upon the value of land per acre. Reasonable commission. In reply give number of acres and value per acre. Savings Bank of Kewanee, Kewanee, Illinois.

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Charles Bradshaw, deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Charles Bradshaw, late of the County of Lee, and State of Illinois hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the March term on the first Monday in March next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 19th day of December, A. D. 1924.
MAE BRADSHAW, Executrix.
W. H. Winn, Attorney.

FOR RENT—Mod-ern, furnished house-keeping apartment for two people. Call at 809 Peoria Ave. Phone 1145. 30013

FOR SALE—White Shetland pony (Spring-bolt), Ivan Wallace, R. No. 3, Dixon, opposite Dixon State Colony. 30013

Local Briefs

Kelly-Springfield 17 1/2
Kennecott Cop 54 1/2
Lehigh Valley 78 1/2
Louisville & Nash 197 1/2
Mack Truck 115 1/2
Marland Oil 37 1/2
Max Motors 4 80 1/2
Mex. Petroleum 1 1/2
Mo. Kan. & Tex. 29 1/2
Missouri Pac. pfd 73
Montgomery Ward 46 1/2
Nat. Biscuit 71 1/2
National Lead 163 1/2
New York Central 119
N. Y. N. H. & H. 31
Norfolk & Western 128 1/2
Nor. American 42 1/2
Northwest Pacific 71 1/2
Pacific Oil 52 1/2
Pan Amer. Pet. B 64 1/2
Pennsylvania 48 1/2
Phila. & Rdr. C. & I. 53 1/2
Phillips Pet. 36 1/2
Pure Oil 29
Reading 70 1/2
Rep. Ir. & Steel 57
Reynolds Tob. B 70 1/2
St. Louis & San Fran 62 1/2
Seaboard Air Line 22 1/2
Sears Roebuck 147
Sinclair Con. 18 1/2
Sloss-Sheff. Steel 82 1/2
Southern Pacific 103 1/2
Southern Ry 78 1/2
Standard Oil, Cal. 62 1/2
Standard Oil, N. J. 39 1/2
Stewart Warner 70 1/2
Studebaker 46
Texas Co. 43 1/2
Texas & Pacific 45 1/2
Tobacco Products 72
Transcont. Oil 4
Union Pacific 150 1/2
United Fruit 117 1/2
U. S. Cast. Iron Pipe 158 1/2
U. S. Ind. Alcohol 84 1/2
U. S. Rubber 40 1/2
U. S. Steel 118 1/2
Utah Copper 83 1/2
Wash. Pfd A 57 1/2
Westinghouse Elec 63 1/2
Willamette 10 1/2
Woolworth 124

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Stokes have returned from a visit of a few days in Chicago.
Granville Ragie of Palmyra was in Dixon on business Friday.
—There was a fire in Iowa today. There may be several in Dixon tomorrow. You might be one of the victims, so give the matter of insurance a little thought. Talk it over with Hal Bardwell. He will give you protection and service.
Mrs. Oscar Noss of Franklin Grove was in Dixon Friday.
Mrs. Jones of Grand Detour was a Dixon caller Friday.
Mrs. Harry Gilm of Franklin Grove was in Dixon Friday.
Mrs. Charles Miller is spending the week end in Chicago.
Mrs. L. F. Aitz of Ashton was in Dixon Friday.
—Have you seen Hal Bardwell, the insurance man, about fire insurance? Do it today. Tomorrow you might burn out.
Harry Smith of South Dixon was in Dixon on business Friday.
George Lefever of Palmyra was in Dixon Friday.
M. J. McElreath of Freeport was a business caller in Dixon, Friday.
T. F. Drew of Nelson was in Dixon on business Friday.
Mrs. K. W. Smith, son Scott, and daughter, Lois, were in Dixon Friday.
E. M. Detweiler of Palmyra was a Dixon caller Friday.
Abe Gilbert of Franklin Grove was in Dixon on business Friday.
Supervisor M. J. Felding of Marion was in Dixon on business Friday.
Arthur Tholen of Grand Detour was a business caller in Dixon Friday.
J. W. Corbitt of South Dixon was in Dixon Friday.
Justus Wagner of Ashton was in Dixon on business Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. George Blocker of Franklin Grove were in Dixon Friday.
Edward Mench of Palmyra was a business caller in Dixon Friday.
Eugene Vest of Northwestern University is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vest.
Charles Mench of Palmyra was in Dixon Friday.
H. Brucker of Franklin Grove was in Dixon on business Friday.
Dr. Houston of Polo was in Dixon on business Thursday.
J. C. Griffith of Ashton was in Dixon Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Trostle of Franklin Grove were in Dixon Friday.
Herman Hank of South Dixon was in Dixon on business Friday.
Emory Wolf of Franklin Grove was a business caller in Dixon Friday.
Herman Benson of South Dixon was a Dixon caller Friday.
William Heubert of Ashton was a business caller in Dixon Friday.
Mrs. August Rhinehardt of Franklin Grove was in Dixon Friday.
Oscar Schade of Ashton was in Dixon on business Friday.
Howard Switzer of Harmon was in Dixon Thursday.
Mrs. James Conlin of Franklin Grove was in Dixon Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Becker and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Becker of Sublette were in Dixon Thursday.
Frank Butler of Ashton was a business caller in Dixon Friday.
Mrs. George Garrett of Ashton was in Dixon Saturday.
Frank Byers of Grand Detour was in Dixon on business Saturday.
Mrs. E. F. Aschenbrenner of Ashton was in Dixon Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Wedlock, of Ambey were in Dixon Saturday.
Ira Rutt of Palmyra was in Dixon on business Saturday.
Carl Santice and Robert Ball were business callers at Teals Corners, Saturday.
Miss Mary Goodsell left Friday for Freeport where she will spend Christmas with her parents.
Mrs. John Wolf of Harmon was in Dixon Saturday.
Mrs. Jacob Aschenbrenner of Ashton was in Dixon Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burkett of South Dixon were in Dixon Saturday.
William Sachs of Ashton was a business caller in Dixon Saturday.
Mark Wilson of Palmyra was in Dixon on business Saturday.
Edward Origenen of Nelson, was a business caller in Dixon Saturday.
E. C. Sudbury of Ashton was in Dixon on business Saturday.
Emory Countryman of Sterling, a former Dixon resident, plans to establish his residence in Dixon in the near future.
Miss Zella Swartz will arrive home this evening from the University of Illinois to spend the holidays with her parents.
Judge William L. Leach of Ambey was a Dixon visitor today.

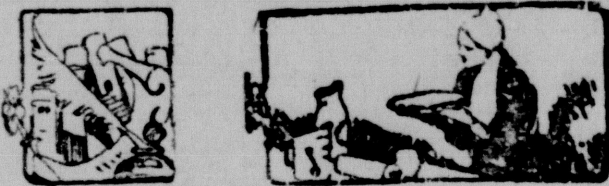
Liberty Bond Close.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, Dec. 20.—Liberty bonds close:
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2nd 4s 100.20 bid.
1st 4 1/2s 101.21
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Chicago Grain Table

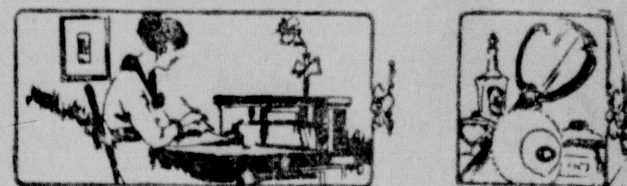
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Chicago Cash Grain

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Wheat No. 3 red 1.83
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WOMEN'S INTERESTS



Society

Monday
Woman's Relief Corps—G. A. R.
Hall in p. m.
Tuesday
W. O. M. L.—Moose hall.

NO MATTER WHAT GIFT, KINDLY THOUGHT COUNTS

She had gone abroad, and coming back, was bringing with her Christmas presents for her friends. She had been terrified by the different customs officers and had repacked so that her little treasures might be taken back to those she had thought would like them so much. She had bought really nice things, too—paid far more than she might have paid for them at home. But they would love the really foreign things. They would be so pleased.

She delivered her gifts. "I suppose," said one, "you picked up this perfume for next to nothing in Paris. I've seen told it was so cheap." She had paid a great deal for that perfume. "Well," said another, upon receiving her gift, "is next to nothing abroad, I've been told. And yet the woolen stockings had cost five dollars, the snail had cost ten, and the scarf fifteen."

"But," they all agreed, as they waved aside her presents she had worked so hard to secure, "no matter what little gifts you bring, it is the thought that counts."

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS—

Brush Clothes.
Street clothes should be brushed and cleaned before being put away in the closet.

Clean Shelves.
The shelves of a linen closet should be cleaned and wiped with turpentine occasionally.

Medicine Cabinets.
In arranging your medicine cabinets put the medicines of most use on the front of the shelves.

For Frosting Cake.
Let your cake cook thoroughly before you put on the frosting.

Use Varnish.
Linoleum wears better if varnished when new and waxed lightly once a week after washing.

Dry Utensils.
Dry iron kitchen utensils in the open oven or on the back of the stove.

Remove Ink Stains.
Ripe tomato juice will remove ink stains and will not injure the fabric.

For Dusting.
A shaving brush or infant's hair-brush makes a good instrument for dusting fine carvings or ivory pieces.

Dancing Party Most Successful

One of the most enjoyable and successful events of the winter social season was held last evening in Roscoe hall, the hosts and hostesses being Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Schrock, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schuck.

There were about forty couples in attendance and the dancing was a pleasure enhanced by the good music and the splendid condition of the floor.

After midnight a delicious luncheon was served at small tables in one end of the hall, the ladies being daintily decorated in keeping with the joyous Christmas season, and presenting a most attractive appearance.

TO SPEND HOLIDAYS HERE—

Mrs. Albert Spiller and young son, Albert, Jr., have arrived from Chicago to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spiller. Albert Spiller, Sr. is expected later to spend Christmas at the Frank Spiller home.

TO SPEND HOLIDAYS HERE—

Miss Alice Richardson has returned from her studies at the University of Michigan, at Ann Arbor, and will spend the holidays with her partners, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Richardson.

DANCE BAZAAR

at
K. C. Hall

SATURDAY, DEC. 20th

Music by Darby Orchestra

Admission 10c

Menus for a Family

Tested by SISTER MARY.

Breakfast—Stewed figs with lemon juice, cereal, thin cream, scrambled eggs, creamed celery on toast, rye muffins, jelly, milk, coffee.
Luncheon—Vegetable soup, crotons, spinach salad, peach and rice pudding, whole wheat bread and butter sandwiches, milk, tea.
Dinner—Broiled porthouse steak, mashed potatoes, creamed cauliflower, grapefruit and pepper salad, bran rolls, coconut graham pudding, milk, coffee.

With the exception of the dinner salad, the menu suggested can be served to an entire family from the four-year-olds to the grandfathers.

Peach and Rice Pudding.
One-fourth cup rice, 1 cup boiling water, ½ teaspoon salt, 1 cup canned peaches, ¼ cup sugar, 1 tablespoon lemon juice.

Cook rice in boiling water until water is absorbed. Rub peaches through a colander. To measure the peaches, put fruit loosely into measuring cup and fill with juice. Add peach pulp and juice, sugar, salt and lemon juice to rice and continue cooking, stirring to prevent sticking. Cook over boiling water for the last twenty minutes. Chill and serve with whipped cream.

Grape Fruit and Pepper Salad.
Two grapefruit, ½ cup shredded green pepper, 2 tablespoons minced pimento, ½ cup whipping cream, two tablespoons powdered sugar, mayonnaise, lettuce hearts.

Cut grapefruit in halves and scoop out the sections with a strong teaspoon, keeping the pulp as whole as possible. Pour boiling water over pepper and let stand five minutes. Rub off thin covering. Remove seeds and pith and cut in shreds. Combine grapefruit, pepper and pimento and sprinkle with sugar. Keep very cold. Whip cream until stiff, add a few grains of salt and fold in fruit mixture. Serve at once on hearts of lettuce with a spoonful of mayonnaise topping each serving.

Coconut Graham Pudding.
Three cups milk, ¼ cup fresh grated coconut, 2½ cups granular bread crumbs, ½ cup sugar, 2 eggs, 1 tablespoon butter, ¼ teaspoon salt.

Beat eggs, add sugar, salt and milk and beat a few minutes longer. Add coconut. Put half the bread in a buttered baking dish, dot with bits of butter and pour over half the coconut mixture. Add remaining crumbs, dot with remaining butter and pour over the rest of the coconut mixture. Bake in a slow oven until firm to the touch, about thirty minutes. Serve warm with lemon sauce.
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Delightful Meeting of Reading Circle

The Thursday Reading Circle met with Mrs. Henry Hintz on Thursday afternoon, whose home was beautifully decorated in holiday colors. Mrs. J. W. Watts and daughter, Mrs. Clea Bunnell had arranged the program, which pertained to the Christmas season. The program opened with a trio by Madames Hintz, Anderson and Mumma, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. L. W. Mader. They sang "Silent Night" beautifully.

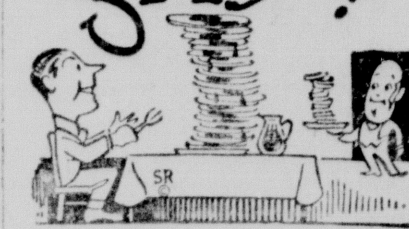
Mrs. Robert Scott gave a reading entitled, "Mrs. Timbal Buying a Christmas Present for Her Husband," and responded to an encore. Little Ella Louise Hintz then sang a Lullabye.

Mrs. Clea Bunnell read an interesting article on the radio. This concluded the program, which was followed by the opening of the grab bag. This caused much merriment.

A delicious luncheon was then served by the daughters of the hosts.

W. O. M. L. TO MEET TUESDAY EVE—

The Women of Mooseheart Legion will meet Tuesday evening in Moose hall and a large attendance is desired.



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115 Galena Ave.

This Club Doing Much for Charity

The members of the South Dixon Community club held an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Will Spangler on the Peoria road Wednesday. Between thirty and forty members and friends were present.

A chicken noodle dinner with all the festive accessories was served at noon. The table was decorated in Christmas style, the center-piece being a miniature tree nicely decorated. Mrs. Lauren Henry and Mrs. John Jensen were the assisting hostesses.

The Spangler home throughout was artistically decorated in the Christmas spirit and a tree in the parlor was also beautifully decorated. Green and red wreaths, candles and tinsel, combined artistically in the pleasing result. The day was the hostess' birthday anniversary and the ladies planned a happy surprise for her, Mrs. J. Lautzenheiser having baked a toothsome birthday cake and decorated it with pink candles, placing the cake on the table while the hostess was out of the room, having it ready to greet her when she returned, a number of the ladies assisting her. This little attention pleased Mrs. Spangler very much, and added to the enjoyment of the occasion.

The Christmas program for the afternoon included the following numbers preceded by the roll call each one answering with Christmas verse. Mrs. Lautzenheiser gave a very nice original Christmas verse. The program:

Vocal solo—Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth, president of club.
Vocal solo—Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth, accompanied by Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth.

Reading—Mrs. Peter Hoyle.
Instrumental duet—Misses Zita Henry and Mary Hoyle.
Vocal duet—Mrs. Joe Snader and Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth.

The program was much enjoyed by all. Santa Claus came in and then presented everyone with gifts, and afterward the gifts were presented to a family of children in the neighborhood.

The members then enjoyed a treat of candy.

The club at this meeting voted \$20 to charitable purposes, ten of it being donated to the Good Fellowship club in Dixon and ten being used to purchase clothes for children at an orphanage.

Although this club has been organized but comparatively short time, three years to be definite, these members have given much to the assistance of charity in this time. Just this winter they have given about ninety dollars to "sweet charity."

A new member joined the club Wednesday.

Palmyra Mutual Aid in Meeting

The Palmyra Mutual Aid society held an all-day meeting with Anza and Eva Lawton Wednesday, Dec. 17. Thirty-one members and three visitors were enrolled. Most of the members had sewing or fancy work with them. The meeting in the afternoon opened with the hymn, "Joy to the World," after which was read the Christmas Story from the Second Chapter of Matthew.

After the business meeting a short musical program was given. The numbers given were:
A piano solo by Mrs. Leon Hart,
A vocal solo by Miss Frances Easinger, a piano duet by Mrs. Oscar Buhler,

and Mrs. Leroy Buhler, and a vocal solo by Miss Marion Weitzel. Each number gave much pleasure to those present. A number of recitations were given by the children. Those taking part were Irene Mensch, Evelyn Swords, Katherine Sheaffer, Robert Williams, Elaine Mueller and Mary Frances Buhler.

After the program a visit by Santa Claus, who took charge of the grab bag was enjoyed.

The next meeting will be held, Jan. 14th, the place being announced later. The members are requested to remember the call for quilt patches for this next meeting.

Mrs. Unangst Entertained Wednes. Eve

Mrs. Wm. Unangst of Jackson avenue entertained the F. L. S. club Wednesday evening with a 6 o'clock Christmas dinner which was enjoyed by everyone. Thirteen sat down at the table, the center-piece being a bouquet of beautiful red carnations and ferns. The home throughout was gay in Christmas decorations.

After dinner there was fun for everyone in the grab bag, and the remainder of the evening was spent in euchre. At the close of the evening, everyone expressed themselves as having had a most enjoyable evening.

Aid Society Met with Mrs. Brink

Thirty members and friends of the Kingdom Mt. Union Aid society met Wednesday, Dec. 17th, at the Lee Brink home east of town, when Mrs. Brink and Mrs. Wm. Pettinger jointly entertained. The home was beautifully decorated in the Christmas colors and miniature Christmas trees adorned the tables.

The picnic dinner was heartily enjoyed. A short business meeting was held, at which time two new members, Mrs. Lee Fuqua and Mrs. James Buchanan, were added to the list of members.

It was unanimously decided to send \$5 to the Goodfellow fund and a check was mailed them Thursday morning.

A Christmas grab bag was a feature and all received useful gifts. Singing of Christmas carols and hymns rounded out the afternoon, and all expressed their appreciation to the hostesses for an exceedingly joyous day.

The next meeting will be held on Dec. 30th, a week from next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Ralph Lievan, when sewing will be done for a needy family. Members please note change of day from Wednesday to Tuesday.

SUBLETTE WOMEN'S CLUB HOLDS INTERESTING MEET—

The Sublette Women's club met December 4 in the church parlors with Mrs. P. C. Reis as hostess. Mrs. Katherine Tourillott had charge of the program for the afternoon. Her subject was "Library Day." Misses Melvin and Myrtle Hoffman gave a duet which was heartily enjoyed.

Mrs. Tourillott's talk centered about the work of the State Library Extension Commission in which she told why libraries should be established and explained the value of good books to a community.

Kipling's "If" was recited by Mrs. Barton as a closing number on the program of the day. Guests present were Mrs. Cavanaugh, Mrs. P. Fischer, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. W. Long, Mrs. P. Reis, Mrs. Ella Crawford, Mrs. Steve Hoffman, Misses Ruth Easter and Myrtle and Melvina Hoffman.

WAS MARRIED AGAIN THURSDAY—

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, Dec. 20.—Mrs. Marian Atchison Swift, who was divorced recently from Edward F. Swift of Chicago, was married to Dr. Richard H. Mosker here Thursday, it became known today.



By Sister Mary

If you had turkey for Thanksgiving, why not serve goose for Christmas? After deciding your meat course the menu for the entire dinner is worked out and planned around that. Thought and care must be taken not to repeat flavors in dishes so that the dinner as a whole is interesting and appetizing.

Oysters are usually at their best at this time of the year, and there's no better way to start a dinner than with an oyster cocktail. This requires no extra cooking—an element worth considering.

A clear soup, consommé or bouillon, should follow the cocktail. Then comes the "piece de resistance" with its vegetables; then the salad, dessert, and coffee.

You may serve the traditional plum pudding and an ice or only one or the other of the sweets.

If an elaborate dinner is wanted the following menu can be augmented to suit the requirements.

Oysters	Consomme	Celery
Chestnut Stuffing	Roast Goose	
Martini Potatoes	Chestnut Stuffing	
	Creamed Cauliflower	
	Christmas Salad	
	Cheese Cakes	
	Plum Pudding	
	Grape Juice Parfait	
	Christmas Cakes	
	Coffee	

So much for the menu. After the table decorations are settled, we must get down to business with the recipes. The Christmas table demands as much thought and preparation as the meal itself.

A Jack Horner pie is not a bit new, but it is always fun, and if the gifts are carefully chosen by a clever hostess, it is sure to cause much hilarity. The pie can be bought and filled to order, or you can make it yourself and fill it with jokes picked up at a five-and-ten-cent store.

The pie itself can be in the shape of a huge snowball, a brick paper fireplace, a brick paper chimney top with a Santa Claus climbing over the top, a Christmas sleigh drawn by celluloid reindeer, or a "dressed" basket much beruffled with crepe paper and beribboned with scarlet bows.

The jokes or gifts are tied to ribbons, bows which run to each service plate.



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point. Soften gelatin in ½ cup cold water and stir into boiling sirup. Remove at once from the fire and let stand until cold. When beginning to set turn into a mold and add fruit and nuts. Chill and serve on a bed of lettuce garnished with "cups" of head lettuce filled with fruit salad dressing.

The cheese cups are tiny cups of white bread dipped in melted butter and toasted in a quick oven. The cups are filled with grated cheese which melts while the bread is being toasted a delicate brown.

Plum Pudding
One and one-half cups stale bread crumbs, ½ cup scalded milk, ½ cup brown sugar, 2 eggs, ½ cup raisins seeded and chopped, ½ cup currants, ¼ cup shredded citron, ½ cup suet, 2 tablespoons orange juice, grated rind, ½ orange, ½ cup chopped nut meats, ½ grated nutmeg, ½ teaspoon each cinnamon, cloves and allspice, ¼ teaspoon salt.

Soak bread crumbs in milk and let stand until cool. Add sugar and yolks of eggs well beaten. Chop suet very fine and work until creamy. Combine fruit and sprinkle liberally with flour. Stir until flour is absorbed. Add to first mixture. Add creamed suet and blend thoroughly. Add spices, grated rind and juice of orange and nuts. Mix well and add whites of eggs beaten until stiff and dry. Turn into a buttered mold and steam four hours. Serve with hard sauce or lemon cream sauce.

Grape Juice Parfait
Three cups grape juice, ¼ cup orange juice, ¼ cup lemon juice, 2 tablespoons granulated gelatin, 1½ cups whipping cream, 4 tablespoons powdered sugar, five grains salt.

Soften gelatin in 1-3 cup cold water. Combine fruit juices and bring to the boiling point. Add softened gelatin and stir until dissolved. Let stand until cool and beginning to set. Whip cream until stiff and add sugar and salt. Fold cream into gelatin and turn into a mold. Freeze in ice and salt, using three parts of ice to one of salt. All these recipes were made to serve a table of six persons.

AMBOY MERCHANT ATTAINS 87th YEAR—

R. W. Gridley, the oldest Amboy merchant, attained his eighty-seventh birthday last Saturday. Mr. Gridley has been confined to his home for more than a year on account of lameness resulting from a fall, but is otherwise in fair health.

Since the death of James Briggs, Mr. Gridley is the only one of the Amboy merchants of the Civil war period still connected with his firm. He will have been in business here sixty years next June.—Amboy News.

SCHOOL BOX SOCIAL NETS GOOD PROFIT—

A box social was held Tuesday evening at the Rocky Ford school (Dis-

trict 71) of which Miss Edna Jensen is teacher. One hundred people were present and the proceeds from sale of boxes amounted to \$41.75, which will be used for the purchase of maps and pictures for the schoolhouse walls. Arthur Whitlock acted as auctioneer.

NEVIN'S CANTATA, "ADORATION" TO BE GIVEN—
Nevin's cantata, "Adoration" is to be sung Sunday evening at St. Paul's Lutheran church, the chorus comprising the choirs of both the Lutheran church and the Christian church, under the direction of Mrs. E. M. Goodsell.

MISS SILL TO SPEND CHRISTMAS IN MOBILE—
Miss Georgia Sill, chief operator at the Dixon Home Telephone company's office, will leave Monday for Mobile to spend the holidays with her parents.

CHOIR TO REHEARSE THIS EVENING—

The Young People's choir of the Presbyterian church will meet for rehearsal promptly at 8:45 this evening, and a good attendance is desired.

ENTERTAIN AT DINNER THIS EVENING—

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rosbrook will entertain at dinner this evening.

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CHRISTMAS CANDY. PECAN MARGUERITES

One cup rolled light brown sugar, 2 eggs, tablespoon melted butter, ½ cup flour, ¼ teaspoon baking powder, 1 cup broken pecan meats, few grains salt, ¼ teaspoon vanilla.

Combine sugar, melted butter and yolks of eggs beaten until thick and lemon colored. Mix and sift flour with salt and baking powder and add with nuts to first mixture. Add whites of eggs beaten until stiff and dry with vanilla. Fold whites into mixture. Drop from a teaspoon onto a buttered and floured cookie sheet and bake 15 minutes in a moderate oven.

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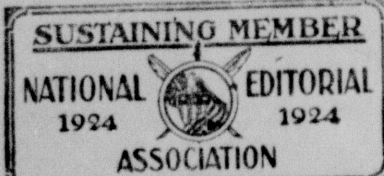
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EVIL DAYS FOR TURKEYS.

If turkey is eaten in more than a tenth or even a twentieth of the homes in America Christmas, poultry dealers will be surprised.

The turkey is our national bird. It originated on the American continent. For generations it was as inseparable from Christmas as Santa Claus. But the turkey is losing out—each year becoming scarcer.

In 1900 there were about six and a half million turkeys on the farms of our country. It's doubtful if there are half as many now.

Why the shrinkage? Is it a matter of price? That's improbable, in a nation accustomed to go the limit financially to get what it wants. Anyway, the average community can buy turkey at retail for only about a fourth or fifth more than the price of chickens or ducks. This difference is not apt to sway the buying of a porterhouse-instead-of-round-steak nation.

The nation's taste apparently has changed. Turkey meat no longer is as alluring as in the old days. No other conclusion seems logical, for price must certainly be a secondary consideration.

To an old-timer, this is difficult to comprehend. There is a charm and flavor about turkey that is all its own. Other fowl have their place and season. But Christmas without turkey is, too many of us, like Fourth of July without firecrackers.

Maybe we had better change our Christmas pictures—and instead of symbolizing the holidays by a farmer creeping up to a turkey with an ax behind his back, have a housewife frying a steak or opening a tin can of potted chicken.

The great bird expert, Audubon, who died in 1851, wrote in one of his books: "At the time when I removed to Kentucky, turkeys were so abundant that the price of one in the market was not equal to that of a common barn fowl now. A first-class turkey, weighing from 25 to 30 pounds, was considered well sold when it brought a quarter of a dollar."

Possibly this is one of the reasons we call them "the good old days."

After all, though, the turkey is in no danger of becoming extinct. One of these days the turkey growers will band together and revive the national craving for their birds, by advertising—just as the sale of oranges, raisins and other products has been stimulated.

The turkey, both individually and as an institution, surely is worth advertising. You recall that the elder John D. Rockefeller made his first money, when a small lad, by raising a flock of turkeys.

A GLIMPSE OF FAIRYLAND.

Germany originated the Christmas tree. It is one of the few institutions that have endured through the centuries.

A Yuletide without a tree is like Easter without eggs.

Yet numerous well-meaning organizations are up in arms against Christmas trees.

Five million of these trees are chopped down and dragged from the forests every year. And, it is argued, this is a perilous drain on our timber reserves—which are swiftly diminishing.

H. V. Berry, addressing a forestry conference, recently advocated a national law prohibiting the sale of Christmas trees. He said: "It is poor practice to teach children to have trees at Christmas, and to teach them to plant a tree next year. You are allowing them to do what you are seeking to prevent."

Bosh! says the American Tree Association.

It points out that the five million Christmas trees used in America this year could be grown on an area of 5000 acres or less. You have to multiply this by 2000 to reach the figure of 10 million acres, which is the forest area of all trees chopped down in a year.

Christmas trees, obviously, form only a very small fraction of the total of forest depletion.

The association adds: "Correct cutting of trees for Christmas use in most cases permits sturdier trees to attain greater growth." In other words, this thinning out is necessary. Then, too, nature readily replaces the small trees.

Our forests are diminishing dangerously fast. We are headed toward a timber famine, unless the cut-over acreage is replanted the same as a farmer replants his fields for future crops.

But the solution of the forestry problem is not in stopping the cutting down of trees for legitimate purposes. To the contrary, the solution is in planting plenty of new trees. As we need more, we should use more—and provide more by reforestation.

We want trees to use, not merely trees to look at.

There would be as much logic in prohibiting the use of lumber for building homes, as in prohibiting Christmas trees. Life is more than dollars and cents, more even than natural resources. Happiness is worth almost any price—and nothing brings more joy to childhood than our five million Christmas trees a year.

NAKED.

Speaking of great undeveloped export markets: It's claimed there are 300 million people on earth who wear no clothes at all.

Why don't our clothing makers get after them? We have the cannibal's precedent to prove that the naked can at least be induced to wear silk hats and celluloid cuffs.

The Chinese war doesn't seem to be confined to China. The tongs are again gunning in both Chicago and New York.

China isn't so conservative, either. Every few thousand years she up and kicks out a reigning family.

TOM SIMS SAYS

Government bonds are being sold to raise three or four billions, indicating Uncle Sam may buy some Christmas presents.

French don't want to pay us anything for 10 years. The French, it seems, think Uncle Sam is Santa Claus.

Silent airplanes are not the greatest threat of the next war. The thought that the Red Cross may issue crossword puzzles scares us.

It's funny how some respected citizens regard "Please Remit" on an overdue bill as nothing short of blackmail.

The carol, "Silent Night, Holy Night," is 100 years old this Christmas, which should be celebrated.

Steamboat load of autos sank in Lake Erie. All the crew and maybe a few pedestrians were saved.

The postoffice lost almost forty millions in 1923, mostly on second and third class. Being below first-class never pays.

Loeb and Leopold, it seems now, got the greatest punishment. They are being made to teach school.

Christmas isn't what it used to be when there was no income tax payment due 10 days before.

Just as we were feeling some better a New York woman up and died and left \$5000 to a pet cat.

They say poets are born. Now doesn't that sound like a poet? Trying to dodge the blame.

All the world is a stage upon which "If Winter Comes" is playing its annual engagement now.

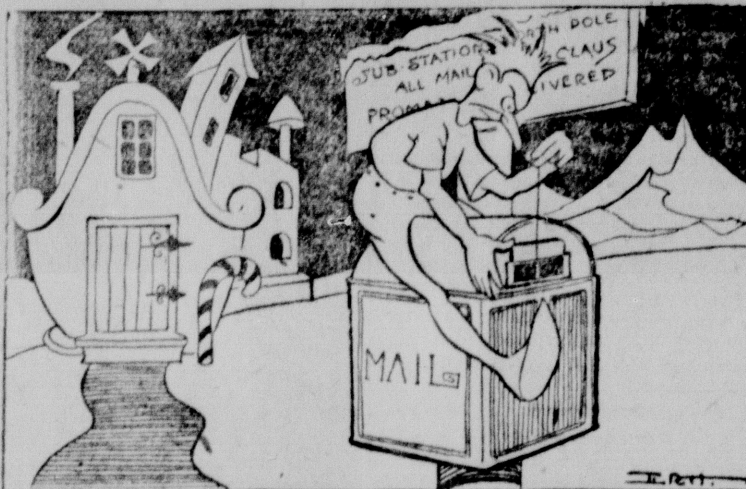
As a man thinks so is he until somebody who thinks otherwise gives him a poke in the nose.

This reducing business is being carried entirely too far. Why, even the milk is getting thin.

The burning question is not so much the price of coal as it is "Who will build the fire?"

Give her an electric waffle iron for Christmas so she can make you some hot cakes with non-skid treads.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton
SANTA'S MAIL BOX

And lo and behold, who should be sitting on that mail box but Snitcher the terrible goblin.

Away to the North Pole went Johnny Sweep and the Twins. All around them were Sooties and Chimneys, Swits, the birds, all carrying notes to Santa Claus.

So now, you know, my dears, when you write a note and put it up the chimney, how it comes that Santa Claus gets it. Either the Sooties or the Swifts take it. And if they don't Johnny Sweep sees to it. And even the North Wind lends a hand and does his bit.

At any rate the notes all get there. And if you have no chimney just write a note and lay it on your window sill and it's all the same. Santa Claus' messengers are everywhere. And even if they don't take it, they read it, there being so many notes to carry 'n' all.

I even knew a little boy who put his letter in a very secret place that nobody knew about! A-d he got 'most everything he wanted.

The only thing I advise is. There are a great many children, and if Santa Claus is short-handed on workers, don't ask for too terribly much. He does the very best he can, poor soul. Oh, there is so much to do!

What on earth was I saying? Oh yes! I know! It was about Johnny Sweep and the Twins living on Johnny's broom to the North Pole. "Say," said Johnny Sweep, "I have an idea!"

"What?" said the Twins. "I don't think Santa Claus should have to scrape down all chimneys and get all covered with soot," said Johnny. "After we have given him Ted's note and all the others."

"Neither do we," said Nancy and Nick. "Well, then! Let's take all our

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The Tangle

LETTER FROM SALLY ATHER-
TON TO BEATRICE SUMMERS,
CONTINUED

Sydney Carton kept out of sight of almost every one, but I will say this for him, his being here made things easier for all concerned.

I think he must have sent a very drastic telegram to J. A. P. for his royal highness came over by airplane in time for the funeral.

Leslie refused—very rightly, I think—to see him, which must have jarred his conceit just a little. For the benefit of the curious, or as your mother or mine would have put it, for the speech of people, Karl Whitney walked with Leslie, and John Prescott with Mrs. Hamilton, when they left the motors for the grave. No one, of course, except the few right on the ground knew that this arrangement was made, because Leslie positively refused to walk beside her husband or have anything to do with him. Glory for her—I didn't think she had it in her.

I haven't seen Mr. Prescott alone since he returned to the city. He has not yet been down to the plant. I am writing this the morning after the funeral. When he comes, if he asks me anything about the affair, believe me, I shall tell him the truth—politely, of course, but it will be the whole blooming truth with no sugar on it.

Leslie is looking like a ghost these days. She has been so full of trouble that she has, I am sure, had no time to think of the baby that is coming. You know how happy she was when she expected her first one. Poor girl, I almost feel that sometimes she wishes this baby was not coming at all.

We have a young woman added to the family—a sister of Mrs. Burke's former husband. She is going to be governess to little Jack. She is very clever, very pretty, and very sweet. I think she is also a good sport, at least she has come through the trying last few days with splendid poise.

Sydney Carton went back home directly. I do not think he and Jack even met, which I take to be a great surprise to J. A. P. I just wish his friend would once tell him, John A. Prescott, just what he really thinks of him.

I think, perhaps, if he did, there would come another surprise to friend Jack. I am sure Sydney Carton is, as I told you before, hopelessly in love with Leslie, and he is trying to make over John A. Prescott into the kind of a man who might be worthy of Leslie and who would make her happy.

Just before Mr. Carton left, I happened to see Mrs. Burke, who had just been with Leslie, give a letter to him. I am sure it was "some explanation of why Leslie could not see him."

I expect by this time you are thinking that John Prescott is a regular cad. He is not, Bee. He is a man with a most winning masculine personality I have ever known, and because of it he is a very selfish, arrogant, overbearing man. He has been spoiled. He expects everyone to think of him first.

Why, even I, Bee, who knows all

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

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Best Grade Spellers
of State to Contest

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Springfield, Dec. 19—Champion grade school spellers from counties in all parts of Illinois will compete for the 1924 state championship at the annual convention of the Illinois State Teachers Institute, which meets here December 29 to 31. Teachers representing the profession in every county will also gather here.

Legislation will be one of the chief topics of discussion. Higher taxation for schools, to eliminate alleged inequalities of educational opportunity in Illinois, is one of the more important subjects.

Educational features of the meeting include addresses by James L. McCaughy, president of Knox college; Allen D. Albert, Dr. Howard Jensen of Butler College, Norman Angell, noted British author, Dr. Ross L. Finney of the University of Minnesota, and Judge Florence E. Allen, of the Ohio Supreme Court.

Several discussions will mark the meeting of the Normal School Council. They will center for the most part on the relation of alumni to their Alma Mater. F. G. Blair, state superintendent of public instruction, W. Hamilton, superintendent of schools at Oak Park, and Robert C. Moore will speak on "Ways of Alumni Support." "How the Alumni can Best Aid" will be the subject of five talks by the presidents of the State Teachers Colleges in Illinois.

Among the social events planned is an informal reception, an informal party, a luncheon, and a dinner. Various allied organizations will hold their annual meetings. The Council of Administrative Women in Education will give a breakfast. The County Superintendents' association will hold a meeting at the county courthouse. The City Superintendents' association will meet at a dinner, with discussions and addresses following under the general head of "Educational Legislation." Superintendent E. C. Fisher of Peoria, O. L. Manchester of Normal, Miss Martha Lynn Connole of East St. Louis, and Senator Harold C. Kessinger of Aurora, will speak.

Mortimer's Dad-in-Law is Against Him

Chicago, Dec. 19—Dr. George B. Tullidge of Philadelphia testified in the Veterans' Bureau conspiracy trial today that Elias H. Mortimer, his son-in-law, and the principal government witness, had once threatened in his presence to "get Forbes even at the cost of swearing himself into jail."

He also testified Mortimer had urged his wife to appear before the Senate investigating committee in the fall of 1923 to corroborate his story of bribery, graft and corruption in the Veterans' Bureau under Forbes.

"I am going to get Forbes. If I can't get him one way, I'll get him another," the witness said. Mortimer declared shortly before he took the stand in the senate inquiry.

Small Plans to Make State Strong in Air

Chicago, Dec. 19—Plans to make Illinois a greater producer of aircraft and to expand and increase the number of landing fields were disclosed today when it was learned Governor Small is sponsoring a movement to request the legislature for authority to create an aircraft commission.

The Governor has asked Major M. L. Bromberg, of Chicago, member of the aircraft production committee of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association, to serve as his aircraft advisor, the association announced.

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Dear Santa—I want a little clean up set, which is a broom, carpet sweeper and two dusters, a doll with a red and white spotted dress. I also want some kind of a jumping jack.

Kathryn Scholl.

I want some barn yard animals, a little set of dishes and sister and I want a blackboard together.

Elizabeth Scholl.

P. S.—Don't forget to come. Please bring mamma a thimble.

Dear Santa—I am a little boy five years old. I want a basket ball, a set of automobiles, a little tractor to pull my cars. Please bring my mamma a doughnut cutter. An air rifle. Please don't forget my sisters and my daddy and my friends. Love from

George.

P. S.—Please bring me a new sweater if you can.

Dear Santa—I am a little boy seven years old and go to school every day. Would you please bring me for Christmas a pair of ice skates, crokinole game, regulation football and punching bag. Wishing you a Merry, merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Your friend,

Donald E. Miller, 615-4th ave.

Dear Santa Claus—I have been a good little boy. I want an oil truck and build Ezy blocks, nuts and candy and one big stick peppermint.

Your friend,

Harry Lee Walker, 601 College ave. P. S. I want a rubber tire scooter too.

Dear Santa Claus—I want some tinker-toys for Christmas and a scooter and a little car and a horn, that will be all.

Forrest Chandler.

Dear Santa Claus—I am a very good little boy and I want you to bring me a horn and a tricycle and a little car and a tinker-toy, and some candy.

E. Melvin Chandler.

Dear Santa Claus—I have been a good little boy all year. Please bring me a Jacky Coonan doll and a train that runs on a track and I want a wheel barrow to carry things for my mama. I want a horn too. Don't forget my papa and mama and my little playmate, Edward Anderson. He lives across the river. I am

Wilbur Butler, Dixon, Ill.

Dearest Old Santa—I want you to bring me a doll head for my big doll, a blackboard, a bed for my dollie, a little telephone, and a story book, a nice warm sweater and a nice doll buggy, a jumping rabbit and a pair of carpet slippers, also a pair of galoshes and I think that will be all. I'll care for this Christmas Santa.

Yours respectfully,
Blanche Saltwedel.

Dear Santa—I am a little boy so I can't ask for much. I want a mamma doll and a little cart that has a horse to it and I want a car that winds up and runs. I sleep in a little bed down stairs and I will have my stocking hanging on the foot of the bed and I want some electric lights for my tree and bring me some apples cause I eat three every night before I go to bed. I am

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Santa Claus—I am a nice little boy. For Christmas I want a little auto that runs on the sidewalk and some tinker toys and I want a rocking horse that rocks fast and I want my cloth so that my mamma can make me a suit to wear to Sunday school. Don't forget my stocking. My name is,

Leroy Hartle, Paw Paw, Ill.

Dear Santa Claus—Please bring me a few toys and some candy and nuts.

Leonard Zimpel,

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Dear Santa Claus—I want a pair of galoshes. I want a box of candy. I want a candy cane. I want you to fill my stocking with candy in it.

Mary C. Rorer.

Church

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday morning Christmas will be celebrated in a fitting manner at the Presbyterian church by a Christmas sermon, "What Christmas Means" and by a special musical program.

The splendid Presbyterian Quartette consisting of Messdames Phil Raymond and John Hagerman and Messrs Phil and E. B. Raymond will be made into a double quartette by the addition of Mrs. Willard Thompson, Miss Mure Worley, Messrs Harry Roe and Don Raymond and will present a program of rare merit. Mrs. W. H. Smith will preside at the organ. The services will be as follows—

Organ Prelude "Holy Night" Dudley Buck
Doxology.

Double Quartette "Unfold Ye Portals" Gounod
Location.
Gloria Patri.
Responsive Reading
Hymn 170 "O Come All Ye Faithful" Reading
Anthem "Hark, Hark My Soul" Shelley
Mrs. Willard Thompson and the Quartette.

The Christmas Prayer.
Response by Quartette.
Announcements.
Offering Solo "The Birthday of A King" Neldinger
The Christmas Offering.
Hymn 178 "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" Mendelsohn
Sermon "What Christmas Means" Prayer.
Quartette "The Manger of Bethlehem" Havens
Hymn 171 "Joy to the World" West
Benediction
Postlude "Postlude" West

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

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9:45 a. m. Sunday School for Bible Study. One of the week's most pleasant hours.

10:45 a. m. Morning worship. The pastor's Christmas sermon, "Home will be Let us now go even unto Bethlehem." The choir will sing two special Christmas anthems: "Behold I bring you good tidings" by Gabel, and "There were Shepherds" by Gillette.

6:30 p. m. The Epworth League will hold its Christmas meeting. This is a service by young people to which all young people are invited.

7:30 p. m. The evening will be devoted to Christmas music. The choir and the Young People's chorus will unite in presenting the beautiful Christmas Cantata, "Yuletide Memories" by Ira B. Wilson. This will not be the ordinary Cantata. It is different. Those who desire to hear it should come early. The public is invited to share our Christmas festivities.

Yuletide Memories, a beautiful cantata by Ira B. Wilson will be given at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening. The large chorus choir will be directed by Miss Bertha Bennett with Mrs. Blake Grover presiding at the organ and

Mrs. J. Niles Palmer at the piano. The program will consist of the following numbers:
Organ Prelude, "The Holy Night"—Dudley Buck.
Doxology.
Sunday School Orchestra. "Onward Christian Soldiers"—Hays Will Smith, director.
Hymn No. 107 "Joy to the World". Prayer followed by a Choral Response.
Scripture Lesson.
Offering, "Gesu Bambino"—Pietro A. Von.
Orchestra. "Sing, Oh Sing this Blessed Morn"—Barnard. Yuletide Memories—Ira B. Wilson.
Praise and Glory—Choir and Young People's Chorus.
The Prophecy—Miss Ora Floto and the Young People's Chorus.
Bethlehem—Choir and Young People's Chorus.
The Shepherds' Vision—Choir and Young People's Chorus.
The Midnight Choir—Mrs. Katherine Ballou, Choir and Young People's Chorus.

The Wise Men—Miss Bennett and Men's Chorus.
The Birthday of a King—Neldinger—Robert Anderson.
Come to my heart Lord Jesus—Wolcott—The Choir.
Hallelujah—Choir and Young People's Chorus.
Benediction.
Postlude "Allegro Jubilant"—Milligan.

Newspaper Accounts of Jap's Speech are Denied

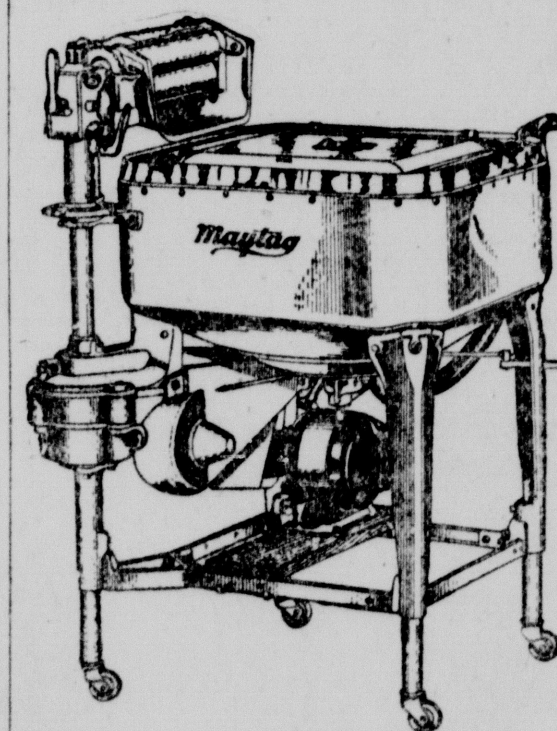
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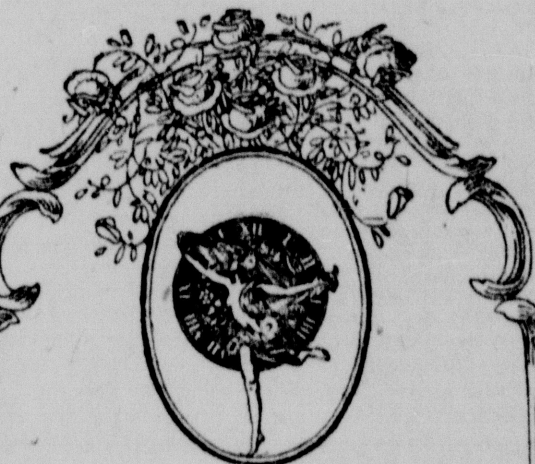
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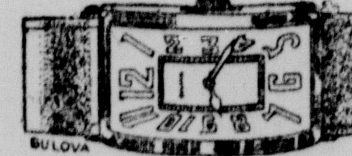
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WHAT'S IN THE AIR MONDAY—

WOC—The Palmer School of Chiropractic, Davenport, Ia.

10:00 a. m.—Opening Market Quota.

10:05 a. m.—Household Hints.

10:55 a. m.—Time Signals.

11:00 a. m.—Weather and River Forecast.

11:05 a. m.—Market Quotations.

11:10 a. m.—Weekly Hay and Grain Review.

12:00 noon—Chimes Concert.

12:15 p. m.—Weather Forecast (Repeated).

2:00 p. m.—Closing Stocks and Markets.

6:45 p. m.—Sport News and Weather Forecast.

7:00 p. m.—Sandman's Visit.

(Bedtime Stories by Val McLaughlin)

7:30 p. m.—Educational Lecture—

"Old Masters," by R. W. Stephenson of Department of Philosophy, the Palmer School of Chiropractic.

8:00 p. m.—Musical Program—(1 1/2 hours) Special program of Christmas music by the Schmidt Music Co. Concert Orchestra, of Davenport, Ia.

10:00 p. m.—Musical Program (1 hour)—Program by Temple Chorus of Rock Island, Ill.

(Courtesy of Radio Digest)

By Associated Press Licensed Wire

(Silent Night; Chicago)

WOL Ames (359) 10 Music.

KFGZ Boston Springs (270) 7 story.

8:15 Christmas carols, poems, speeches.

WEEI Boston (303) 6 Big Brother club.

6:30 Santa Claus; 6:45 orchestra; 7:45 music; 8:30 musical; 9:30 Sinfonia.

WGR Buffalo (319) 6-6:30 music; 7:30 Christmas message; 8:10 concert; 10:30 music.

WLW Cincinnati (423) 7:30 children's Christmas party; 9 music.

WTAM Cleveland (389) 7 concert.

WPAA Dallas News (476) 8:30 musical, baritone.

WHO Des Moines (526) 7:30 Christmas story; 8 artists; 11:15 organist.

WWJ Detroit News (517) 7:30 orchestra, soprano, contralto, tenor.

WCX Detroit Free Press (517) 7:30 musical program.

WHH Kansas City (411) 7:5 educational talk, variety musical.

WDAF Kansas City Star (411) School of the Air; 8 popular program; 11:45 Nighthawks.

KFKX Hastings (291) 9:30 vocal, instrumental, quartettes, ensemble.

KNX Hollywood (337) 10 features; 12:2 orchestra.

WOS Jefferson City (449) 8 piano solos.

KPI Los Angeles (465) 10 orchestra; 11 features.

KPSG Los Angeles (278) 8:30 children's hour.

WMC Memphis Commercial Appeal (506) 8 bedtime; 7:30 Gayoso orchestra.

WEAF New York (492) 6:35 theatre program; 7:30 Sicilian dance music; 8 A and P Gypsies; 9 orchestra.

WJZ New York (455) 6 concert; 7 Wall St. Journal review; 7:10 N. Y. U. Air College; 9:45 orchestra.

WHX New York (360) 6:10 fashion chat; 6:30 orchestra; 7 dance; 7:30 music; 8:30 orchestra; 9 dance; 11:30 Wigwag club.

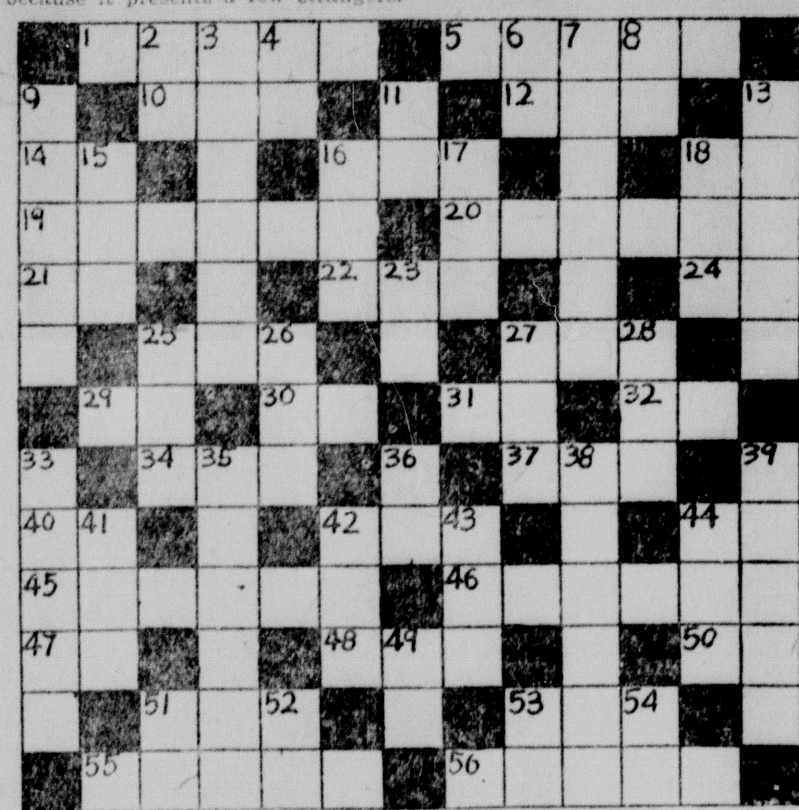
WOR Newark (405) 7 violinist; 7:30 musical; 8:30 dancing master, Carolinians; 9:30 singing orchestra.

KGO Oakland (312) 6 orchestra; 7:30 stories; 10 educational, trio, book chat; 12 orchestra, soloists.

WOAW Omaha (526) 6 dramatic; 6:45 orchestra; 9 program.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

There are many old standbys in this combination. But it's a sticker because it presents a few strangers.



HORIZONTAL

1. Storage towers.
5. Head of monastery.
10. Sports devotee.
12. Space of time.
14. Exclamation.
16. Large snake.
18. You.
19. Language.
20. Breaking point.
21. Seeker in game of "tag."
24. Ego.
25. Coal waste.
27. Permit.
29. Printer's measure.
30. Exclamation.
31. Depart.
32. After Christ.
34. Still.
37. Eli Whitney's invention.
40. Near.
42. Busy insect.
43. Upon.
45. Prayer beads.
46. To light up.
47. Twice 29 horizontal.
48. Recede.
53. Third note in C major scale.
54. Eye-sore.
55. Cover of crustacean.
56. Affected an attitude.

VERTICAL

2. Conditional.
3. Expresses joy.
4. Upon.
6. Wide belt.
8. Atop.
9. Extinct language.
11. Toward.
13. Angry.
15. Extremely warm.
17. Wager.
19. Highest honor.
23. Form of "to be."
25. No particular one.
26. Too warm.
27. Natural timber.
28. Light color.
33. Mohammedan's wives.
35. Make capable.
36. Atop (for the fourth time).
38. Fools.
39. Funny trick.
41. He-cat.
42. Sailor's ascent.
43. Small flap.
44. Unit of resistance.
49. Exist.

51. Exclamation.
52. Hebrew name for God.
53. This.
54. You.

Answer to Yesterday's Crossword Puzzle:



AMUSEMENTS

GRAND OPERA—CHICAGO

The repertoire for the eighth week of the Chicago Civic Opera opens Sunday matinee, December 21st, with the last performance of Tanhauser this season. In the cast will be Forral, Van Gordon, Lamont, Schwarz Kipnis, Oukrainsky, Miles, Elsius, Miller, Nemeroff, Shermont and Corps de Ballet. Conductor Weber.

Monday night will bring a third performance of Traviata with Muzio, Hackett, Schwarz, Defrere, Oukrainsky, Miles, Miller, Shermont and Corps de Ballet. Conductor Cimini.

Tuesday night, Lakme will be sung for the second time with Pareto, Schipa, Baklanoff, Oukrainsky, Miles, Elsius, and Corps de Ballet. Conductor Lawvers.

Wednesday evening, Christmas Eve, the first performance of Louise will be given with Garden, Claessens, Anseau, Baklanoff and an exceptional supporting cast. Conductor Polacco.

Thursday evening the Barber of Seville will be sung for the second time, with Elvira Hidalgo making her debut with the Chicago Civic Opera Company. Others in the cast include

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were \$5,120,688. The balance to the credit of depositors at the end of the year totaled \$7,985,524. Savings stamps to the extent of \$2,667.90 were sold and \$2,035 redeemed. Interest amounting to \$142,872.94 was paid Illinois depositors during the year.

The United States as a whole showed an increase in deposits of \$1,142,835, with a total balance at the end of the year of \$132,814,835. Deposits were \$96,955,603 and withdrawals \$55,842,826. Savings stamps totaling \$68,605.60 were sold, while those redeemed amounted to \$68,945. Interest paid depositors was \$2,184,000.95.

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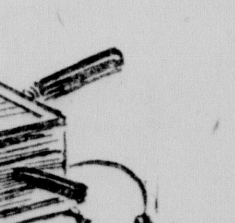
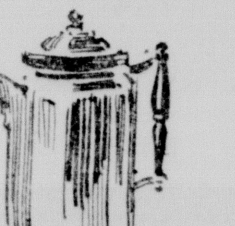
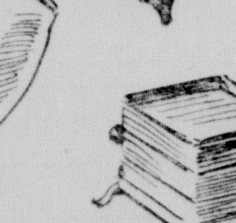
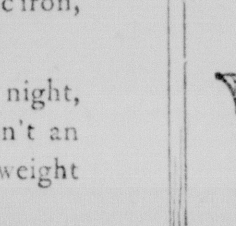
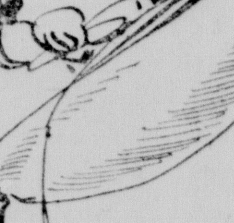
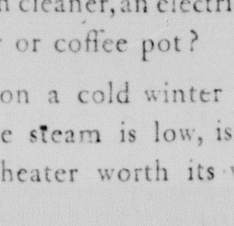
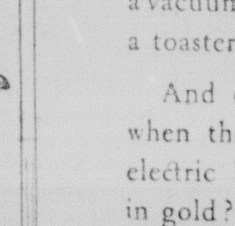
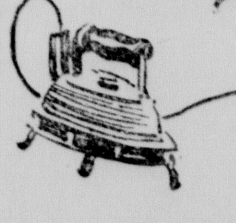
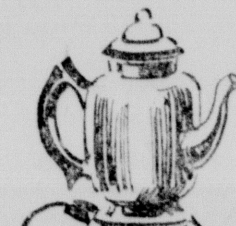
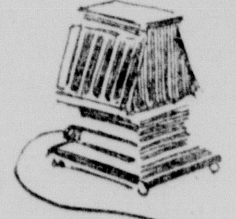
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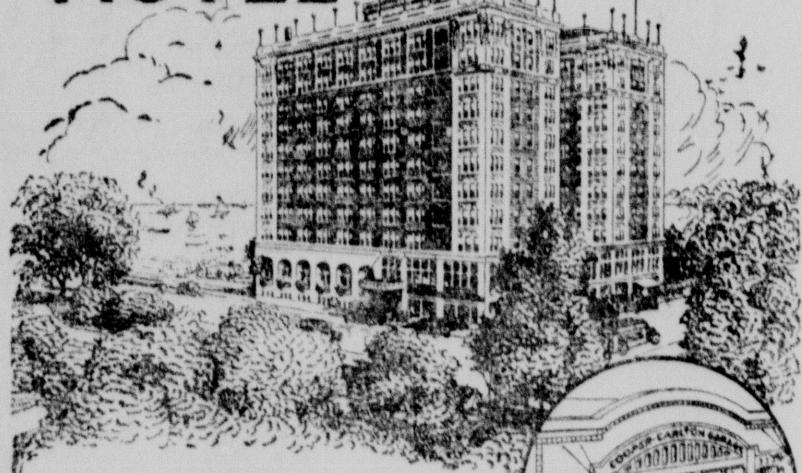
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FINE PROGRAMS AT FRANKLIN TO MARK HOLIDAYS

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Franklin Grove, Dec. 18.—The following program will be given by the pupils of the Presbyterian Sunday school at the Presbyterian church next Wednesday night, Christmas eve: Song—Choir; Recitation—Dorothy Pyle; Recitation—Marie Black; Recitation—Junior Schaffer; Recitation—William Black; Recitation—Eleanor Yocum; Primary Song; Dialogue—Georgia Peterson and Robert Mattern; Recitation—Mary Jean Miller; Solo—Helen Senger; recitation—Betty Banker; Dialogue—Helen and Mary Hall; Recitation—Barbara Banker; Duet—Helen and Lois Miller; Recitation—Donald Edginton; Recitation—Scott Stultz; Dialogue—Donald and Francis Ramsell; Playlet, Lucille Yocum Helen Yocum, Maurice Hussey, Harold Buck, Lucille Buck, Earl Hunt, Phyllis Johnson, Willard Krehl; Solo—Genet Hussey; Recitation—Janet Meyer; Recitation—Dale Hodges; Recitation—Margaret Barton; Recitation—Willis Hodges; solo—Goldie Graves; recitation—Allee Edginton; Pantomime—Lucille Yocum, Helen Yocum, Phyllis Johnson, Helen Senger, Lorene Hodges; solo—Margaret Banker; Selection—Irma Walker; song—Genet Hussey, Hattie Flair, Margaret Barton, Marion Buck, Hazel Sidell; Recitation—Hazel Sidell; Choir; Benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark of Rockford were Tuesday visitors at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Buck. Mrs. Clyde Speck visited in Rockford over the week end.

Rev. Harry Wingert of Kingsley, Iowa, was a week end guest at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Wingert. Sunday he preached both morning and evening at the Brethren church and his sermons are receiving much praise by those who heard them.

About 140 were present Thursday night at the Woodman meeting when twenty six candidates were taken into the lodge. The Dixon drill team was present and put on the work. The team consisted of: Consul—Quadrini; Banker—Brown; Advisor—Dauntler; Past Consul—Vard; Clerk—Palmer; Escort—Horn; Chief Forester—Ryan.

The team is receiving many compliments in their work and the Franklin Camp feels very grateful to them. The evening was spent in visiting, radio music and refreshments. Those joining were: Nelson Humphrey, Albert Grose, Willie Woon, Charles Donohue, Howard Maronde, Wilbur Dysart, John Spratt, LeRoy Hunt, Kay Sunday, Warren Mong, A. G. Wasson, Roy Johnson, Richard Smith, Arthur Brucker, Homer Blume, Geo. Fruit, Harvey Brucker, Roy Blume, Earl Thomas, Lyman Wilson, Wendel Phillips, Wilbur Buck, Sherwood Jacobs, Ira Hotchkiss, Ralph Mong, Raymond DeLauder, and Edward Holbrook.

Mrs. Marvin Banker of Edmond was taken to the Dixon hospital Monday evening and on Tuesday she submitted to an operation for appendicitis. G. D. Black came home from Oklahoma Monday where he had been visiting relatives the past month. LeRoy Miller and Abe Gilbert motored to Aurora Monday.

Robert Roop, son of Walter Roop, was taken to the Dixon hospital Fri-

day morning where he was operated upon at once for appendicitis. "Robbie" is a real American boy and his many playmates will be glad to have him well and strong again.

Services at the Methodist church Sunday, as follows: Sunday school, 9:30. Morning worship, 10:30. Theme "The Christian Message." Junior League, 2:00. There will be no Epworth League services on account of the cantata which will be given by the choir at 7:30. Note change in the hour from 7:00 to 7:30.

Dr. and Mrs. Adam Grim are in Chicago this week attending a convention of surgeons.

Willis Reigle spent Monday and Tuesday in Ogle county in the interest of the Farm Bureau.

Mrs. Joel Senger visited Tuesday in Nachusa at the home of Mrs. Mary Shippert. She reports Grandma Burhenn as enjoying fairly good health, which will be good news to Mrs. Burhenn's friends. She is a former resident of this place.

Mrs. Winn Wasson and daughter Betty of Dixon were Franklin visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Minnie Brown spent Tuesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Parker in Nachusa.

Mrs. Harry Wilkins was a Rochelle visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolf will spend the Christmas season at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beery at Plymouth, Ind.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crawford, a daughter, Dec. 13 at the Rochelle hospital. The little one has been named Myrtle Jean.

Frank Scott of Aurelia, Iowa visited the first of the week at the home of his sister, Mrs. Q. D. Lahman, having been called here by the death of his cousin Collins Dysart at Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Lahman expect to leave Saturday for Stillwater, Okla., where they will spend Christmas at the home of their nephew, Wilbur Lahman, at whose home a family reunion of the Lahman family will be held. From there they expect to go to Tucson, Arizona where they will spend the winter.

About twelve fellows from the Dixon shoe factory came up Thursday night and enjoyed an oyster supper with Harry Maronde. George Schultz very thoughtfully presented the oysters for the occasion. Harry was an employee of the shoe factory but for the past several months has been unable to work from an illness contracted during the late war. They presented Harry with a purse containing \$34.

Mrs. Earl Bancert of Chicago is visiting at the home of her father, Louis Zoeller.

Charles Schmucker was here Tuesday from Springfield greeting his many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Withey and Mrs. George Withey attended the funeral of Mrs. Smice at Pine Creek Sunday afternoon. Mrs. George Withey and Mrs. Smice were sisters.

Miss Gertrude Weigle who is attending college at Ames, Iowa is expected home tomorrow for the holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Watson spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Royster near the St. James church.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sauer and son of Amboy were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tracy of Sterling were week end guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. Engley.

Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Meredith and Frank Hatch and daughter June were Dixon visitors Monday.

About forty relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Spangler of west of town Sunday and assisted them in celebrating their wedding anniversary. The affair was

a complete surprise to this couple.

Joseph Gilbert and sisters, Mrs. Clarence Colwell and Miss Lucy Gilbert, went to Chicago Thursday to attend the funeral of their uncle, John Gilbert.

Ray Winsfield of Kansas City was a Franklin visitor this week.

A. B. Wicker is reported on the sick list.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Hark School house the evening of the 22nd. The following program will be given by the school and Bradford Community Club at 7:30 p. m.

Song—"Santa's Visit", by the school

Recitations by the children:—Harry Olmstead, Marie Warnefelt, Blanche Butler, Andrew Albright, Evelyn Albright, Stella Hanson, Clara Mortenson, Josephine Frost, Dorothy Ollman, Ralph Fulton.

Song—Eda and Esther Nelson.

Violin Solo—Mr. James Degner.

Pantomime "Holy Night" by the school.

Song—Florence Gleim.

Recitation—Dorothy Butler.

Recitation—Paul Nelson.

Recitation—Marion Landau.

Piano Solo—Marion Aschenbrenner.

Reading—Mrs. James Degner.

Recitation—Lester Aschenbrenner.

Recitation—Carl Nelson.

Saxophone Solo—Anchor Mortenson.

Reading—Vernon Schnell.

Duet—Celia and Vera Gleim.

Reading—Raymond Degner.

Violin Solo—Mary Schnell.

Song—Mrs. Harry Olmstead and Mrs. Roy Ulrich.

Visit from Santa.

The Bradford Community Club presented the Hark school with an oil stove for which the pupils and teachers are very grateful. Friday noon, the teacher, Miss Pearl Albrecht entertained the little folks of the district with a chicken dinner. What a treat it is to have a warm dinner now!

The pupils of the Methodist Sunday school will present the following program at the Methodist church next Wednesday night, Christmas eve:

Song—Sunday school.

The Best Day—Raymond DeLauder.

A Present for Mamma—Laurence Maronde.

Teddy's Stocking—Teddy Phillips.

A Little Boy—Billy Ives.

Solo—June Conlon.

A Possibility—Ralph Sunday.

A Sweet Welcome—Josephine Kelly.

Christmas Doctor—George Wilson.

Vocal Solo—Gwendolyn Stitler.

An Invitation—Clark Wasson.

Christmas Sunshine—Lyle Sunday.

Dialogue—"The Seven Cousins", Donald Zieller, Leona Phillips, Theda Sunday, Audrey Bratton, Margery

Warnefelt, Morris Maronde and Lyle Sunday.

Grandpa—Harold Zoeller.

Her Christmas List—Jean Maronde.

Vocal solo—Arlene Sunday.

Tom's Christmas Surprise—Jack Kelley.

A Fairy's Stocking—Vera Sunday.

A Christmas Eve Thought—Kenneth Wasson.

Song, Male Quartette—Georgie Ives, Clark Phillips, Harold Zoeller and Donald Zoeller.

Recitation—John Cupp.

Christmas is the Giving Time—Ruth DeLauder.

Vocal Duet—Helen Blocher and Ruth Zoeller.

Mrs. Santa Claus—Hazel Bill.

Class Song—"Hope of Ages."

Song—Junior Class.

Play—"No Christmas in the House"

Mrs. Wallace—Pauline Hawbecker.

Mr. Wallace—Georgie Ives.

Grandma—Annie Moore.

Alice—Ira Morgan.

Ted—Clark Phillips.

Recitation—Ruth Cupp.

The Reason Why—Martha DeLauder.

The Lookout Man—Ruth Bratton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pyle and family moved Tuesday to the I. J. Trosch farm north of town.

Mrs. Harold Kelley was a Chicago visitor Friday.

NEW MINISTER

AMBOY CHURCH

FIRST OF YEAR

Rev. J. C. Maupin of

Clarence, Mo., Ac-

cepted Call.

Amboy.—The Rev. J. C. Maupin, pastor of the First Baptist church of Clarence, Mo., has answered the call of the local church and will take up his duties here as pastor starting January 1. Dr. Trout, now acting as pastor for the Baptist church, will preach his last sermon here December 23.

Reverend Maupin attended the Rochester Seminary in Rochester, N. Y. last year and will attend the University of Chicago during his pastorate in Amboy, returning week-ends to preach. He is studying for his Bachelor of Divinity degree. His wife and seven year old son will make their home in Amboy after the first of the year.

Reverend Maupin has experienced many years as a successful business man as well as a popular minister. He has been associated in partnership

ship in the dry goods business at Clarence. Members of the Amboy Baptist church are confident they have secured a man of exceptional ability and personality to serve them as their preacher. It was on November 30 that Reverend Maupin preached a sermon here, and shortly afterward that he received his call from the local church, which he has just accepted.

EPIDEMIC OF

HICCOUGHS IN

POLO VICINITY

Many Cases Reported;

Physicians Puzzled

By Ailment.

Polo.—Mrs. Eliza Brand left Friday for Chicago where she will spend Christmas with her son Harry Brand and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Day Welty entertained at dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bloyer and daughter Violet and son Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. William Schryver and daughter Lois and son William.

Ray Strook and family moved Monday in the Miss Hannah Hubert house recently vacated by Mrs. Ogle Barnhart on Oregon street.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith of Grand Forks, S. D., Dec. 15, a daughter. Mr. Smith was formerly of Polo.

Rev. Henry Trump had a radio installed in his home recently. The Bacon & Eckert store at Hazelhurst near Polo was twice robbed this week. On Tuesday night entrance was gained through the back way and the thieves took a radio set, several sacks of sugar, shoes and a lot of work shirts and on Thursday night the store was again visited, this time, candy, shot gun shells and many other small articles being taken.

Mrs. Lawrence Pyper is quite ill with the gripe and is under the care of a physician.

There seems to be an epidemic of hiccoughs around. There have been a number of cases here which have

lasted for several days and in one case lasted over a week.

William Schryver is doing the mason work for a vegetable cellar for Fred Hendrix this week.

At the meeting of the Odd Fellows lodge the following officers were elected:

Noble Grand—Ralph Fager.

Vice Grand—Ray Reinert.

Past Noble Grand—David P. Morris.

Recording Secretary—Orten Arlson.

Financial Secretary—Robert DeLauder.

Ways and Means—Charles Rowland.

Trustees—Albert J. Sweet, Horatio Wales, L. F. Thomas, Hale Scott, Ray D. Hamner.

The Polo club will hold a turkey, goose, duck and chicken shoot at the club grounds Tuesday, Dec. 23 commencing at 10 o'clock.

Miss Lindy Dingley left Saturday for Washington, D. C., where she is employed after spending some time here with her mother, Mrs. Alvin Joiner, Sr.

Dorcas class, No. 19 of the Lutheran Sunday school met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Wilson with Mrs. Anna Irvin and Mrs. Wilson as hostesses. There were ten members present.

Mrs. Hattie Martin left Wednesday morning for Miles City, Mont., to visit her brother Richard Chilcote and family.

Charles O. Owens passed away at 10:30 o'clock Monday night, Dec. 15 at the home of his sister, Mrs. Robert McNaughton. Mr. Owens was born September 15, 1869 at Plainville, Ill., and at the time of his death was 55 years and three months of age. He is survived by three sisters and two brothers; Mrs. McNaughton, Misses Lillian and Charlotte Owen and Winfield and Joseph Owen. Funeral services were held at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon at the McNaughton home.

Rev. W. Sloan Whitsett, pastor of the Presbyterian church officiating. Burial was made in Fairmount cemetery.

William Shank, the dairyman, has rented the Fred Grim farm near Polo and will move there in the near future.

Mrs. Annie Waterbury expects to

leave Sunday for Malta where she will spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Landis Graeff and family.

HAS GREAT LIBRARY

Berne, Switzerland.—The world's largest library of large books is in the possession of Dr. Franz Hechtner, a physician. In his library, which contains hundreds of volumes, there is no book that weighs less than three pounds. The library is heavily insured.

The United States has 14,000 high schools.

Congress Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Senate and House meet at noon.

Muscle Shoals legislation continues before Senate.

House plans brief session before recessing over Christmas week.

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19 HEAD OF CATTLE
Consisting of 14 milch cows; 2 yearlings, and 3 last spring's calves.

5 HEAD OF HORSES
Brown team, 8 and 9 years old; black mare, 11 years old; black mare, 14 years old; gray mare, 6 years old.

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Buckeye wagon, complete with triple box; iron-wheeled truck and hay rack; Sandwich hay loader; Deering binder, 6 foot; International corn planter; Moline riding corn plow; Hay's riding corn plow; 1 3-section Hay's harrow; 70-foot hay rope; bob-sled; feeding rack; Oliver sulky plow; Emerson harrow cart; spring wagon; 2 sets work harness; quantity of hay; 4 milch cans; International corn planter with 80 rods of wire.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 12 months' time will be given on good bankable notes with approved security, drawing 7 per cent interest from date of sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

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SPORT NEWS

McCoy MAY KNOW HIS FATE BEFORE CHRISTMAS DAY

Arguments in Murder Trial Will Begin Sometime Monday.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Los Angeles, Calif., Dec. 20.—The McCoy family skeleton of hereditary insanity will sit well up in front at the closing sessions of McCoy's trial on a charge of murdering Mrs. Theresa Mors last August, it was indicated when the defense rested in its case late yesterday.

The death of Mrs. Mors was suicide, not murder, according to testimony offered in his own behalf by McCoy.

After he had finished the other side of his two-fold defense was revealed in depositions describing his father, mother and younger sister as victims of unsound mentality.

The former pugilist described how he struggled with Mrs. Mors when, discouraged over her troubles, and determined to "end it all," she took a broad knife and attempted to plunge it into her heart; how she then, despite his struggle to save her, snatched a pistol from the table at which they had been eating and fired a bullet into her head.

At first he tried to stop the flow of blood, he said, but at last realizing she was dead, determined to end his life. He lay down beside the body and prepared to send the remaining bullets of the pistol into his body. Why he did not kill himself then, McCoy did not remember. He became dazed, he explained to the jury. "I don't even remember ever leaving her," he said.

Stuck To His Story

Here, after McCoy had clung to the essential facts of his narrative through spirited cross-examination, the depositions concerning insanity offered with the defense counsel, referred to as an explanation of McCoy's "probable mental condition" at the time.

The depositions contained the testimony of residents of the Selby family's home community in Indiana, and stated that both Frank and Mary Selby, parents of the defendant, had been of "unsound mind and at times mentally deficient," while his sister Mabel, was insane in 1915.

Albert A. Mors, divorced husband of Mrs. Mors, who had been here as the star witness of both prosecution and defense, had not offered a single word of testimony for either when the defense rested yesterday.

Arguments to the jury will begin Monday with a possibility that the case may be in the hands of the jury before Christmas.

There was no session today.

Start Coaching Boys in the Sixth Grade

BATAVIA.—(By The Associated Press)—Coaching their athletes from the time they enter the sixth grade until the time they graduate, athletic authorities at Batavia high school here have assured themselves a good supply of material for future teams, and at the same time have made it easier for boys to develop into varsity men.

Each of the public schools is supplied with a gymnasium and a coach is furnished for each public school team. The coaches are selected from the senior high school athletes and work under the high school coach, teaching the boys the fundamentals and conducting a grammar school league.

In addition to this system of bringing out good material, high school classes conduct a tournament during the period between basketball and football in order to give the coaches a chance to see the candidate in action. Candidates for the varsity, numbering about 30, are selected from the class squads and given an opportunity in the final class.

Carl Johnson, captain of the team this year is the last of a family of three brothers who have captained Batavia teams in the last three years. Johnson, with Ekman plays a forward. Ward plays center and Markinson plays guard. All are regulars from last year. Schultz, Peterson and Arthur Johnson are the first promising of the recruits. Last year Batavia won 27 out of 28 games, losing to the state champion Elgin team in the sectional tournament.

According to Burris M. Franklin, head coach in charge of the Batavia system the scheme works very well and has twice put the team within reach of the state championship.

Three years of physical training are required in the high school course and provisions are made for girls' athletics, a class tournament being held annually for feminine athletes.

Johnson Taciturn on Action of His League

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Dec. 20.—Silent and taciturn, Earl Johnson, president of the American League, has returned from the seclusion into which he retired while his club owners stripped him of part of his power and rebuked him for his part in the recent controversy with Commissioner Landis.

He has given no indication of taking any action in reply to the resolution of the American League which threatened him with deposition if what they termed his "misconduct" continued.

"Any chance of resigning?" he was asked. "I won't answer that one way or another," he replied. "In fact I won't even admit I'm Earl Johnson."

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DIXON STORES ARE MECCA FOR GREAT CROWDS

Thronged with Holiday Shoppers During the Day.

Dixon's army of shoppers were out today in full force, augmented by reinforcements from the surrounding trading territory. The roads have been excellent, the snow making the dirt roads nearly as smooth as the pavement, and although it was bitter cold today hundreds of people from the community came to the city to do their Christmas buying.

Down-town crowds will be large every evening, up to the Christmas holiday.

Many Dixonians have already done the bulk of their holiday buying, but the heaviest trading season is now at its height. Magnificent assortments of holiday goods are offered in the Dixon stores, and stocks this fall were so large that the good early trade seemed to make little inroads upon the time displays of Christmas and winter merchandise offered.

Morning shopping, for those who can get out in the morning, is urged to ease up the afternoon pressure.

MARTIN NEW CHAMPION OF THE BANTAMS

He Outfought Goldstein in Bout in N. Y. Friday.

New York, Dec. 20.—(By The Associated Press)—The word awoke today to find a new champion and the shoes of "Terror" Terry McGovern of Brooklyn were laced once again.

Louis (Campanelli) Martin, 21, stood forth as the world's greatest bantamweight boxer by his victory over Abe Goldstein of New York at Madison Square Garden last night. Newspapermen agreed Martin earned his honors.

McGovern accomplished the feat in 1899 before Martin was born and the present king of the midwits never saw the old master in action. But the styles, consisting mainly of relentless aggression, are said to be strikingly similar.

Goldstein lost his belt by taking the defensive after the first three rounds and acquiescing to the lightning methods that Martin employed. At the start, the former champion fought as he did when he was climbing the ladder to the crown. A clever and fast boxer, he stood away and shot in jabs to his opponent's face and drove heavy blows to the body. But Martin would not stop. He kept plunging in until he forced Goldstein into clinching.

With his method established, Martin drove to the stomach and uppercut to the head. Round after round saw him forcing the fighting. Goldstein was hugging after the first round and was cautioned by the referee. At times Martin was compelled to use football tactics in releasing himself.

Aurora to Get Windsor Grand Circuit Race Date

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Cleveland, O., Dec. 20.—The Aurora (Illinois) Grand Circuit Association will be given dates next year heretofore to Windsor, Ont., Win H. Kinnam, secretary of the Grand Circuit, announced here yesterday. Application for membership and a check for a franchise were received several days ago.

President Edward J. Baker and Secretary Clifford R. Trimble will represent the Aurora Association at the Grand Circuit Stewards meeting here Jan. 5th and 6th.

Windsor has dropped out of the Grand Circuit, leaving will be conducted at Aurora the latter part of July, following the Kalamazoo meeting.

Mr. Kinnam also announced North Randall will hold a two week's meeting in August.

Dixon High Quintet Decried in Opener

The Rock Falls high school basketball team demonstrated its strength at the local high school gymnasium last evening by defeating the Dixon cagers by a score of 26 to 20. It was a fast game from the start and Rock Falls made an excellent showing, with Pignatelli starring. He caged baskets from almost every angle of the floor. Rynearson was the feature attraction for the Dixon squad. Many of the substitute players were given an opportunity to show their ability against the visitors.

The lightweight squad from the local school played a curtain raiser with Lee Center school as their opponents. Dixon secured a lead in the first period which they maintained throughout the contest, winning by a score of 20 to 14.

ELGIN WINS ANOTHER

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Elgin, Ill., Dec. 20.—Elgin High school's heavyweight basketball team, 1924 champions, won their second game of the season last night in defeating Englewood High of Chicago, 30 to 21. The Elgin lightweights defeated the Englewood seconds 18-14.

Former Bantamweight Champion No. 1 is Dead

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Vancouver, B. C.—Frankie Nell, bantamweight champion in 1905, died of pneumonia.

Peru has such a diversity of elevations and climatic peculiarities as to be able to grow almost any product that is known to man.

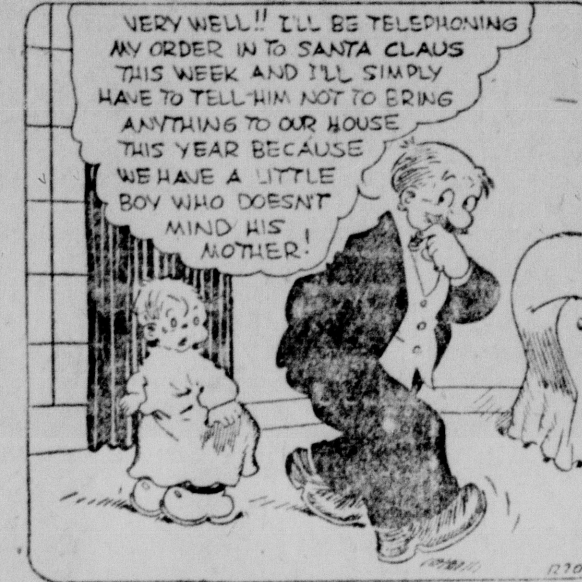
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NEWS FROM DIXON



Gym Classes as Usual at Y During Holidays

During the Christmas holidays all classes in the Department of Physical Education will continue as usual with the exception of those of Christmas Day and New Years. Ladies' Day will be Monday from 1 to 10 as usual with the High School Girls' gym class at 4:30 and the Business Girls' class at 7:30. During the mornings the Juniors will have the use of the gym to shoot baskets or do anything they wish from 9 to 10:45. From 10:45 till noon will be reserved for the Intermediates. As to the afternoons regular classes will take possession at 3:30, announcements as to the time before that will be made later.

Intermediates to Play Several Games in Week

Manager Wolfe of the Intermediates has several games on the string for the holidays and is busy booking several for out-of-town. Outside of the Junior "A" and "B" tournaments the only special basketball game for this week is scheduled for this evening when the Reynolds Wire team, a newly organized outfit, will make its initial appearance at 7:30 against the Intermediate squad. No admission is charged for these games played by the Intermediates and anybody is invited to witness them.

Exports of ostrich feathers from South Africa have amounted to \$15,000,000 in a single year.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire
WASHINGTON.—The House passed the Naval appropriation bill carrying nearly \$300,000,000.

WILMINGTON, DEL.—Mrs. Osborne Cutler Wood announced she had separated from her husband, a son of Major General Leonard Wood, and would institute divorce proceedings.

WASHINGTON.—Senator Underwood of Alabama was exonerated by a Senate committee of charges made by Hearst newspapers in connection with Muscle Shoals legislation.

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FOR SALE—We are makers of beautiful and artistic lamp shades and shades. The Novel Studios, 119 N. Wabash Ave., Chicago. Affiliated with Abbotts Art Gallery, Henry F. Newell, Harold R. Masten, Advisory Artists and Designers in Home Decorations.

FOR SALE—Farmers if you want a sale bill that will attract attention, order from the B. F. Shaw Print. Co., Dixon.

FOR SALE—Insurance. H. U. Bardwell Agency.

FOR SALE—A very beautiful line of Christmas Greeting cards. Make your selection now before the choice ones are chosen. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Individual monogram playing cards. Most appropriate for gift purposes to personal friends. They come in two color combinations of new and original designs. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Farmers if you want a sale bill that will attract attention, order from the B. F. Shaw Print. Co., Dixon.

FOR SALE—Now is the time to order your Greeting cards. We have a beautiful line of cards, printed or engraved. Call and see them. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

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FOR SALE—A beautiful assortment Christmas cards. A most agreeable way of telling your friends that you think of them at least once a year. Come in now and see them. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Christmas Greeting cards. We have already taken tremendously heavy orders for cards. Why? Because they have been so extensively advertised through the columns of the Telegraph and because of the wonderfully beautiful selections. B. F. Shaw Printing Co., Dixon, Ill.

FOR SALE—Engraved calling cards. 100 nicely put up in a box make an attractive Christmas Gift. Order early to insure holiday delivery. Come in and see samples. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Very beautiful Christmas Greeting cards. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Do you know that a box of seals with your name and address printed thereon makes a very nice Christmas gift. They come in an attractive box. 250 for \$1.50. B. F. Shaw Printing Co., Dixon, Ill.

FOR SALE—Those wishing engraved Christmas cards must order very early otherwise we will not be able to fill the orders. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Healed. Nothing as good for aching tired feet. Once you use it and know its real worth, you will never be without it. Druggists everywhere carry it.

FOR SALE—Duplicate Bridge scores. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Clearance sale of used pianos from \$80 to \$125. All guaranteed in good condition. Easy payments. Pianos for rent. Strong Music Co.

FOR SALE—Nurses record sheets. B. F. Shaw Printing Co., Dixon, Ill.

FOR SALE—A new garbage burner or laundry stove, used one week, \$15 cash. Can be seen at Fanelli Bros. "The Dixon Candy Kitchen."

FOR SALE—Double barrel 12 gauge hammerless shot gun; good as new. Cheap if taken at once. Call phone 1386.

FOR SALE—Cook stove, in good condition. Mrs. W. C. Martin, 411 Parker Ave., Phone X1134. 19913*

FOR SALE—1 pure bred Poland China male hog. Tel. or write Chas. C. Ogeler, Ashton, Ill. 29915

FOR SALE—20 to 25 Hoodwood white Leghorn cockerels from high reducing hens at reasonable prices. Birch Zund, 825 Forrest Ave., Dixon, Ill. 29915*

OR SALE—A bargain, new business man's coupe, Dodge. Call at 114 Wood St. Phone 253. 29913

OR SALE—Large Buffalo robe, in fine condition. Phone 1071. 29913

OR SALE—A Vose piano, in very good condition. Phone X734. 29913*

OR SALE—Art Garland hard coal stove, size 400, in good condition. Tel. 99590. 29913*

OR SALE—Boy's overcoat, size 18, gray, heated almost new. Phone 29913*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Winchester repeating shot gun, 20 gauge, hammerless. Nearly new \$30 Phone X417. 29912

WANTED

WANTED—We are paying highest prices for all kinds of junk, hides, wool and old automobiles. Get our prices before you sell. We call for orders promptly and guarantee satisfaction. Sinow & Wiennman, Phone 31. River St. 7417

DIXON BUSINESS MEN AND CHICAGO

express themselves as highly pleased with the artistic

UP-TO-DATE PRINTING

of Letter Heads, Circulars, Cards, Etc., turned out by our Job Plant.

B. F. SHAW PRINTING CO., Dixon, Ill.

WANTED—Loans on farms and city property. Attractive prepayment privileges extended borrower. See or write us for full particulars. F. X. Newcomer Co. 271126

WANTED—Dixon people—men and women, who are interested in saving a little money each week to see H. U. Bardwell, Secretary of the Dixon Loan & Building Ass'n.

WANTED—All Dixon particular house keepers to use our nice white paper for the pantry shelves and bureau drawers. We can get any size roll you like. 10c to \$1.00. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

WANTED—Anyone who owns property in Lee County to see and talk with me as to the advantage of insuring in the companies I represent. H. U. Bardwell, Galena Ave.

WANTED—You to order your Christmas Greeting Cards now. We have a marvelous line to select from. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

WANTED—Orders taken for Greeting Cards with name printed or engraved on card. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. Insurance. H. U. Bardwell, 119 E. First St. Phone 134

WANTED—Owners of autos to call on me if they wish to loan something of value to them in reference to auto insurance.

WANTED—The Acme Mineral Co. of Forest Park, Ill., formerly of Dixon are very anxious to secure a sales man in Lee and adjoining counties to handle the Acme Swine Mineral. Mention The Telegraph when you write them.

WANTED—Ask to see Tally-ho Greeting cards for Christmas. 43 designs to select from. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

WANTED—Rugs cleaned and washed by the Hamilton Douch rug washer. Rugs called for and delivered free of charge. J. E. Roper, 123 East First St. Phone 78. 283112*

WANTED—To buy old cars. We have second-hand repairs for different makes of cars. We buy all kinds of old junk. Will call for your orders and pay highest market price. B. Hasselton, Dixon, Ill. Phone 184. 29612*

WANTED—Farmers to consult me about fire insurance. I have something worth while to offer. H. U. Bardwell, 119 E. First St., Dixon.

WANTED—Roofing. Let us coat your roof with Hot Asphalt. All work guaranteed best grade. Red or green roofing, \$2.45 delivered. Phone 5193, or write Sterling Roofing Co., Sterling, Ill. 299126*

WANTED—Every subscriber to The Telegraph to read our fine new serial story. The opening chapter appears in Monday's Telegraph. Do not miss it. 29913

WANTED—Users of job printing to visit our job department for letter heads, envelopes, bill heads, catalogues, etc. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 29913*

WANTED—You to come in and see our beautiful Christmas Greeting cards. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

WANTED—To buy, Ford ton truck. Must be in good condition, and priced reasonable. Box 26, R. No. 6, Amboy, Ill. 29913

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room, strictly modern, with 1 block from business district; also housekeeping apartment. Phone X365, or call at 310 Peoria Ave. 271127*

FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, water and sink in kitchen, electricity and gas for cooking. Private entrance, also garage. Call at 619 Nachusa Ave. Tel. X1123 29913

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room, 1 block from business district. 321 E. First St. 29913

The WELL DRESSED MAN

By BEAUNASH

Correct Clothes To Meet The Obligation Of Every Occasion



Named After A Lord

Good style is meant to express different degrees of dignity and formality, just as good manners are. You would naturally show greater homage to one of advanced years and exalted position than you would to one less highly placed. Same way with a man's clothes. They must not only befit the occasion, but every article that composes a particular form of dress must dovetail with its fellow-articles and constitute one harmonious ensemble. Firmly fix the thought in your mind that a man's clothes are not a group of disconnected belongings, that follow one another at random like the words in the Dictionary. Dress is a theme, each article you wear supplementing the others as do the fingers of your hand.

The so-called Chesterfield overcoat is named after Phillip Dormer Stanhope, fourth earl of Chesterfield, who was born in 1694 and died in 1778. He was known as an essayist, an epigrammatist and for his "exquisitely elegant" courtesy, whatever that may mean. With all his faults, which were the faults of his age, Lord Chesterfield wielded an influence upon men's dress that persists to this day. His celebrated dictum that "manners must adorn fashions"; that good breeding underlies good style condenses a world of meaning into a word capsule. It is the boiled-down philosophy of fashion.

The Chesterfield overcoat is a semi-formal, figure-fitting type of garment which should always be worn with the derby, as pictured in the accompanying sketch, not with the soft hat. It may be single-breasted or double. It may have the velvet collar or the cloth collar; plain lapels of silk-faced. It may be cut of black materials, or dark Oxford gray, or dark-blue, or dark-brown. Originally, the Chesterfield overcoat was fly-front, but to-day it is also to be met in the button-through style.

Aside from day and business wear, the Chesterfield in black or dark-gray is the only proper overgarment to accompany evening dress with which a loose-draped knockabout coat is not permissible. Every wardrobe owner, if a Chesterfield for completeness, for correctness and for an agreeable change-off from the Raglan-shoulder and sport-type coats which, worn every day, become tiresome. No man can possibly be well-dressed if he owns but one overcoat. Possess two and, preferably, three.

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FOR RENT

TYPEWRITERS—Rent an Underwood. Special rate, 4 months \$10. Typewriters sold, rented and repaired. Address S. M. Zemansky, Mgr., Underwood Typewriter Co., 212 Keystone Bldg., Aurora, Ill. Feb. 3*

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home, 1 block from business district. 624 W. First St. Phone X567. 29417

FOR RENT—Modern sleeping room. Close in. 315 E. Second St. Phone X983. 28517

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Light, heat and water furnished. Suitable for light housekeeping. Phone X775. 29713

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room house, 613 Jackson Ave. Possession at once. Phone X907, or call at 415 S. Galena Ave. 29513*

FOR RENT—5-room modern flat on ground floor. Hardwood floors, all painted and papered. New furnace. Everything new. At 415 First Street. Call phone X549. 29913

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Salesmen in this part of the state to sell our Acme Swine Minerals. Retired farmers and auctioneers are handling the line very successfully. Acme Mineral Co., Forest Park, Ill. Mention The Telegraph when you write. 40*

WANTED—Agents. Highest cash paid weekly with part expenses to take orders for guaranteed nursery stock. Experience unnecessary. Out fit free. Write, The Hawks Nursery Co., Wauwatosa, Wis. 29516*

WANTED—Salesmen. New, full coverage accident and health policy. Natural death benefit. Auto accident and limited policies, \$5, \$10 and \$15 annually. Liberal commissions. National Accident Society, Dept. N, 320 Broadway, New York City. Est. 1885. 29916*

WANTED—A few select girls to polish diamond dishes. Light, clean work. Best pay. Apply Weaving plant, between 5 and 6 p. m. Reynolds Wire Co. 29913

WANTED—Clerks, railway mail, 18-35, \$133 month. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars coaching, write R. Terry (formerly civil service examiner) 258 Barrister Bldg., Washington, D. C. 29913*

LOST

LOST—Ladies' pocketbook containing several bills and change at C. & N. W. depot Thursday morning. Liberal reward if returned to Mrs. Chas. Bishop, Phone X365. 29913*

MISCELLANEOUS

A SUITABLE GIFT IS A BOX OF ENGRAVED CALLING CARDS. 100 NICELY PUT UP IN AN ATTRACTIVE BOX. COME IN AND SELECT THE STYLE THAT MOST PLEASES YOU. B. F. SHAW PRINTING CO. 271127*

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

SPECIAL TAX NOTICE. Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City Council of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, has by Local Improvement Ordinance No. 218, Series of 1924, passed by the City Council of said City on November 4, 1924, and approved by the Mayor of said City on November 6, 1924, ordered the construction of Vitrified Tile Pipe Sewer for sanitary purposes, with house con-

nection laterals in front of each lot included within said district, in North Dixon Avenue from Bradshaw Street to Graham Street, in said city as specified in said ordinance, that said ordinance is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City; that application has been made to the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to the benefits as provided by law and said ordinance, that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said Court and that the final hearing thereon will be held before the said Court in the County Court Room in the Court House in Dixon, Ill., on Wednesday, the 21st day of December, A. D. 1924, or as soon thereafter as the business of said Court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment, in said Court, before said time and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said tax is payable in ten (10) annual installments and bear interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, according to law, until paid.

Dated, December 18th, 1924.

EDWARD JONES, Commissioner. 29516

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FILING FINAL SETTLEMENT. State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. Deceased of Otto Siemens, deceased. Public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Otto Siemens, deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, Ill., on the 21st day of December, 1924, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will also ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.

Dixon, Ill., December 13th, A. D. 1924. EMMA BRADDER, Administratrix, as aforesaid. Henry C. Warner, Attorney. Dec 13 29

HARMON SCHOOL PLANS PROGRAM NEXT WEDNESDAY

Christmas Exercises to Be Given in the Afternoon.

Harmon, Ill.—A Christmas program will be given at the Harmon school next Wednesday afternoon Dec. 24. The board, teachers and pupils are all working to make this the best afternoon program ever given. A stage will be erected. The program is free, and every one is invited to attend, and it is hoped that all the students may be successful in interesting their parents to come.

Solo, A Gift on Christmas Morn. High School. Jokes, Selected, Frank Rhodenbaugh. Song, Eddie McCormick and Oliver Finkenbinder. Chorus, Over the Snow, High school. Song, Janet Gaskill, Eva Swab. Song, Christmas Bells, Grammar Grades. Recitation, If it ever Happens Again. Leroy Dumphy. Recitation, Christmas Bells, Alma Sutton. Song, Santa Claus is Coming, Primary Grades. Recitation, Santa's Children, Margery Ladenski. Vocal Solo, A Dream Santa Claus. Intermediate Grades. Song, Jolly Old Santa Claus, Jane Eddy. Recitation, The Best Gift, Ruth Ja-

DAN BARRY'S DAUGHTER

BY MAX BRAND

BEGIN HERE TODAY

"Joan lives with an old recluse, Buck Daniels, presumably her father, in an out-of-the-way ranch house. She complains that she never goes there and that she goes and obviously alarms Daniels, by this statement. That night Joan slips from her bed after Daniels has retired."

Two middle-aged prospectors, Hal Sprague and Rudy Nichols, are visited at their camp by a scoundrel by the name of Joe MacArthur. Sprague and MacArthur get into a heated argument over a bad deal. The prospectors received from MacArthur in the past. "You ain't no good," MacArthur says. "You skinned me out of one neat little bunch of money. You won't skin me out of another." MacArthur draws a gun and kills Sprague. Nichols comes up with a yell.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"You damned cutthroat!" he was screaming, his voice thrown into a high falsetto by his emotion, and he ran forward, pumping away with his revolver. Not a bullet hummed close to the mark. His aim was so wild that MacArthur raised his own weapon with the calm precision of one firing at a target, and Nichols pitched on his face while his gun rolled and clattered down the slope. MacArthur waited until the echoes died down. He faced his horse which had raised its head and was regarding the motionless bodies with a mild interest.

"This is hell," breathed MacArthur. "I didn't mean—"

However, the thing was done, and since it was accomplished only a fool would let a twinge of conscience drive him away before he had reaped the harvest of his crime. He went to the shack, searched it thoroughly, and found a little cash, a ten pound sack of gold which was a prize almost worth the shooting, he decided, and finally he took from the wall a bridle with which to replace his own broken one. In five minutes he was riding down the mountain again.

He paused at the first crossing of the river in the valley. He tied a heavy rock to his bridle and threw it in. After that, how was any human being to tell that he had been there? For not a soul in the world knew to what destination he had been riding that day and certainly the keenest eyes in the world could never trace him over the rocks on which he had been riding.

But before he reached that river, Harry Gloster returned to the mine and he returned leading his horse, which was loaded down with game. It really was a poor shot, but luck had been with him twenty times this time. It had seemed that he could not miss.

He came back, however, to the black and silent cabin when he lighted the lantern. He found it out and found the two men lying as they had fallen. The lantern shuddered in his hand.

The motive for the double killing was patent at once. For the gold was gone. He went back and carried the dead men to the same spot. And when they lay on their backs with the dirt brushed from their faces, they were wonderfully unchanged from the two he had left that morning.

They must be buried. And he buried them in miner's fashion. He took them to the old shaft which they had begun to dig until the false vein disappeared. At the mouth of the hole he sank a drill a few inches, wedging a double jack with one hand and raining the blow as if he were swinging a carpenter's hammer, for he was a giant of strength. Then he put in his stock of powder, lighted the fuse, and watched the explosion roll twenty tons of stone across the entrance.

Now for the ride to town! He saddled his horse, the only horse of the three which they pastured near the

mine which was capable of bearing his weight. It was not until the saddle was in place that the other thought came to him. Suppose that he rode into town and told them what he had found. They would come pouring out to see the site of the tragedy.

But no sooner were they there than they would begin to ask questions, and those questions would be prompted by the discovery that the mine was paying in gold ore. A rich mine owned by three partners, of whom two are suddenly and sadly killed! How fortunate, how extremely fortunate for the third member of the group!

It came sickeningly home to him. He was new to that land. No one knew him. No one would vouch for him. Strangers would compose the jury that tried him. A strange judge would advise them. A furious prosecutor would pour forth his eloquence



HE TOOK A BRIDLE FROM THE WALL.

about this dastardly crime—the murder of two honest, old prospectors! Sweat stood upon his forehead. Sweet poured out at his arm-pits. And every mile that he traveled gave him time for thoughts.

He went to the town, indeed, but he did not ride into the center of it. Instead, he left his horse at the outskirts, saddle and all. There he paused a moment to rub the nose of the honest mustang and murmur: "They'll find you, old timer. They'll give you some chuck. I know you're hungry as sin!" Then he went on.

He sneaked through the village. He came to the railroad station, and half an hour later he was aboard a freight train and bound for parts farther south.

When the rattling wheels had spun beneath the train for two hours, he dropped off at a place where it had stopped for water. For he must leave a broken trail behind him, he decided, and he was already far, far away from the place of the double murder.

He cut across the country. In the gray of the dawn he came to a ranch house. There, in the barn, he found saddle and bridle. In the corral were a dozen horses.

He picked the stoutest, without regard for lines which might indicate speed, for his first requirement of a horse was the strength to bear up his unusual bulk. Somewhere ahead of him was Mexico, and there the law sometimes slept.

CHAPTER III The Clenched Fist

THERE was a flutter in the kitchen of the hotel. The heart of Mary, the waitress, chambermaid and occasionally clerk in the

General Merchandise Store, was full. She had to talk. She would have talked to the wall had not the Chinese cook been there.

"He's about that tall," said Mary, reaching high above her head. "He's about that broad. Why, he'd fill that door plumb full. And he's all man, Wu. There he goes now! He's finished washing up and he's going around in front. Look quick through the window!"

But Wu, with a grunt which might have been directed either at the frying stock or at her remark, turned his narrow back upon her and reached for the salt. One glance showed Mary that her confidant was a thing of stone.

So she knelt on the chair and poured her heart through the window toward the big man. He was not quite as large as she had made him out, but he was big enough. And he was one of those men who carry about them such an air of conscious strength, such a high headed and frank eyed good nature, that they appear larger than they are.

He carried his hat in his hand, which showed all of a handsome, unbroken face. He had taken off his bandanna, also, and opened his shirt at the throat to the evening air. His whole manner was one of utter carelessness, and Mary, when she had peered until he was out of sight, sat down suddenly in the chair with her head thrown back and a foolish little smile upon her lips.

As for Harry Gloster, he paused at the front of the building to laugh at two sweating boys who, in the middle of a great dust cloud, were attempting to drive back a pig which had broken through the fence on the farther side of the street. Then he entered the hotel and went into the dining room.

There was only one other present, and this was a pleasant companion. He was one of those men who show age in the face and not in the body. His shoulders were as wide, his chest as high arched, the carriage of his head as noble as that of any athletic youth.

But his hair was almost a silver gray and his face was broken and jagged with time and trouble.

Harry Gloster waved a hand in greeting and sat down beside the other.

"Riding through or living here?" he asked.

"Riding through," answered the older man. "You?"

"Just blowing north," said Harry Gloster.

"So am I," said the other. "In a rush, as a matter of fact. We might ride on tonight, if tomorrow."

Harry Gloster eyed him askance. "I may be starting in a little while—may not wait for morning," he parried.

He could have sworn that the other smiled, although very faintly. And Gloster leaned suddenly forward and looked his companion squarely in the eyes.

"What's on your mind?" he asked sharply.

The older man hesitated an instant and then laughed. He added, speaking softly: "It's all right, son. But there's no red dirt of that color south of the town. You're just off the Peñitof trail. 'You're heading south.' The twinkle in his eyes focused to a gleam. 'You're for the Rio Grande—pronto!'

Harry Gloster did not change color at the last words of his tabernacle; he even managed to maintain a smile, but the big muscles at the base of his jaw were bulging a little and he stared straight before him.

"What do you mean by that?" he asked.

"Nothing," said the older man. "Nothing, except that I don't like to be bluff. If I were sheriff, I'd lock you up on suspicion and hold you until I had a look at your back trail. But I'm not sheriff—not by a considerable distance."

"Then that's finished?"

"It is!"

(To Be Continued)

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Christmas Greeting Cards

ENGINEER OF I. C. SPOKE TO POLO SCHOOLS

Freeport Engineman Gave Address on "Safety First."

Polo—Mrs. A. H. Hanneken of Dixon spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Shink.

Miss Honora Kramer who is attending the Bush Music college at Chicago is enjoying a vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kramer.

S. K. Brenner is ill with pneumonia. Friends here have received word of the death of Lloyd Isham of Chicago, formerly of Polo, which occurred Wednesday, Dec. 16.

Miss Luella Middlekauff has gone to Franklin, O., where she will remain until after Christmas. From there she will go to North Carolina.

Dr. E. S. Murphy of Dixon was a professional caller here Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah Keator is ill with appendicitis. Her daughter, Dr. Louise Keator is caring for her.

Mrs. Jack Smith is the guest of her son Wilfred and family at Berwyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woodin left the fore part of the week for Florida where they will spend the winter.

Attorney Robert L. Bracken transacted business in Dixon Tuesday afternoon.

E. M. Edwards of Freeport, engineer on the I. C. railroad, gave a talk to the high school and grades of the Polo school Tuesday afternoon on Safety First.

Mrs. Robert Cox and son Robert of Chicago are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Poole.

Dr. and Mrs. P. W. Clapper of Peoria spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Clapper.

Mrs. Albertus Tice spent Tuesday with her daughter Mrs. Edwin Ackerson at Haldane.

Mrs. Edwin Ackerson of Haldane transacted business in Polo Wednesday evening.

Raymond Geary of Polo broadcasted from Carthage Wednesday evening.

Jerry Ralff of Dyersville, Ia., spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the Mrs. Jennie Angle home.

Tuesday evening the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs held a scramble supper in their hall, about 150 being present. After the supper a program was given by the various members followed by dancing.

Mrs. Margaret Woodruff of Dixon spent Wednesday with Polo relatives.

Mrs. Madge Folk visited her sister, Mrs. C. E. Ritz at Haldane Tuesday.

A number of radio fans from Polo enjoyed the Cornell glee club broadcast from Iowa City Tuesday evening.

Lyle Tavenner of Polo is a member of the club.—K.

Missionary Society of Nachusa Had Meet

Nachusa—The primary department of the Sunday School are busy rehearsing their Christmas program which will be rendered Christmas eve.

Rev. Heltzel is confined to his bed suffering with a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Betini and family were in Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Plantz and daughter Lucille were in Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schaefer and son Lewis and Mrs. Henry Herwig of

ABE MARTIN



It's just about got so children are neither seen nor heard any more. The teller that discovered that a paper dollar only lasts seven years must have been in jail, or lived with his wife's folks.

Ashton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gonnemann Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Currens motored to Chicago Sunday to call at the hospital to spend a few hours with Ray Currens who suffered a serious accident sometime ago but is getting along the best he can under the circumstances.

The Women's Missionary Society of St. Paul's church Nachusa, met at the home of Mrs. W. O. Curson Thursday afternoon. A very interesting meeting was held. Mrs. F. W. Coleman led the devotional service in a very able manner. The president, Mrs. Shippert conducted the lesson study, a review of the general society meeting at Salisbury, N. C., which was most interesting and instructive as the work of the past biennium was reviewed and the work of the next biennium outlined. A social hour followed in which the hostess assisted by Mrs. George Null and Miss Grace Uhl served delicious refreshments. The Nachusa school gave their Christmas entertainment in the basement of the church Friday evening.

Miss Hill and the scholars rendered an excellent program which was much enjoyed by all present.

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New York—Sixty girls in a sweat-shop in Brooklyn were ordered to leave the building when it caught fire. They refused because they were being paid for piece-work and didn't want to lose any time. "We have faith in the firemen and we need the money for Christmas," one of them explained.

Cap Higgins, the artist who fought in the Philippines during the Spanish-American War, has purchased an old Krag-Jorgensen rifle. "I'll hang the rifle on the wall and tell visitors that I used it in Luzon," he says.

"After while I'll come to believe my own story and by the time my boy inherits the rifle it will be a priceless heirloom of a very brave soldier."

Sea Captains report that compasses are affected to a very marked degree by the steel in New York's buildings. The reaction of the needle varies as many new buildings go up. I am told by Joseph Pradergast, who is both architect and sea-faring man.

"The steak she ordered was so big you could have milked it if it had been any bigger," I heard Al Herman black-face comedian, spring that line. I doubt if it is new, for so many of his gags wear whiskers.

New York has very freakish weather. A western man tells me that he motored from Ridgefield, Conn., to White Plains in a snow storm the other day. It was quite cold. From White Plains into the city the sun was shining and he needed no overcoat. Amateur weather sharks claim that the bulk of water in Long Island Sound protects New York City from any cold waves.

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No Two People Get Grey from Same Cause

Chicago—No two persons become gray at exactly the same age, or from exactly the same cause, according to Neal R. Andrews, New York hair dye manufacturer, in an address here.

"Worry, nervousness, sudden shock, heredity, and old age cause many people to become gray," said Mr. Andrews. "And instead of a becoming shade, 95 out of every 100 heads of hair change to a streaked faded color."

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